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PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF VOLUSIA COUNTY IN GOOD CONDITION

Report of Superintendent C. R. M. Sheppard Is Submitted To the County Board at Regular Monthly Meeting Held in DeLand Last Week.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Volusia county school board held in DeLand last week, the superintendent submitted the following report:

I am unable to make a complete financial report as several of the banks acting as district bond fund depositories have not rendered statements of such accounts as required on the first of each month.

Acting under your direction I have instructed all district depositories to transfer sufficient funds from the open to the savings accounts to place not less than 75 per cent of the total deposits on 4 per cent interest. All banks heard from have complied with said instructions except the First National Bank of Daytona, I have written this bank again, refusing to accept the required monthly statement until such transfers have been made

I have purchased about $400 worth of tools and equipment for the DeLand Manual Training Department as per your instructions. The entire equipment authorized has not been placed as yet. I have equipped the city hall at Ormond as a school room and now have Mrs. Grace Moore Adams in charge of that, the fifth, room in the school. I have placed new equipment in the Ariel school out of our New Smyrna stock. Have also furnished twenty new seats to Daytona out of same.

Acting upon the approval of Commissioners Gould and Lemmon, I have shipped 50 sacks of cement to Barberville for construction of cement walks, W. D. Bradshaw having agreed to do the work under the direction of Mr. Lemmon.

Miss Dorothy Sawyer having resigned her position in the grammar grade department of the Central high school, I assigned her to the fifth grade in New Smyrna where she is now at work.

I have made officials visits to the following schools during the last school month. Orange City, Osteen, Enterprise, Briggsville, Glencoe, Ariel, Oak Hill, New Smyrna, twice each, once alone and once with the state inspector. Also, Lake Helen, Glenwood, DeLeon, Emporia, Pierson, Seville, Turn Bull Bay, Pt. Orange, Blake, Holly Hill and Ormond, with the state inspector. With one or two exceptions I find these schools in excellent condition as you will see from the inspectors report. The exceptions mentioned herein are schools well equipped, but for some reasons no pride is taken in the care of the school premises. I accompanied the state school inspector to visit 16 grammar schools of the county, and am pleased to report that 14 out of this number passed the state's requirements for standardized rural and village schools, each receiving a handsome diploma from the state. I am also proud to report that Volusia is the first county in Florida to place rural and village schools on the standard list.

In compliance with your instructions, I took up with the state industrial school the matter of a discharge for Thoe Dotts and John Raiford, committee for a violation of the compulsory attendance law, and am advised that John Raiford has been discharged but that Theo Dotts will not be until his parents send clothes and money for transportation back home. The superintendent of that institution claims that the delay in discharging these boys was due to failure of parents to send clothes and transportation as required by the state.

Attendance Officer's report wa received and ordered filed, there being nothing particular of interest to the public, other than routine matters.

The superintendent was instructed to notify all banks acting as district despqsitories that reports required at the first of each month must be rendered promptly. Also to insist that instructions in reference to transfer to 4 per cent accounts.

The semi-annual detailed statement of receipts and disbursements, assets and liabilities to the comptroller, as prepared by the secretary in accordance with law was approved and certified to. This report covers 27 pages of typewritten matter, dealing with the finances of the board of public instruction, and shows the net worth of the county as reference to the schools as about a half million dollars.

The matter of increasing insurance on the Oak Hill school as recommended by the local trustees was discussed, and it was ordered that they be advised that the board never carries a full value policy on any school.

The county superintendent presented a plan for holding a joint meeting of the East Coast and west side teachers' associations in Daytona during April. The plan was approved, and he was given authority to use county school buses in transporting west side teachers to Daytona, and to secure a good speaker for the occasion

Auction Club Meets

The meeting of the Auction club this week was at the home of Mrs. E. W Hopkins, and the usual number of members enjoyed the games. Mrs. Carson received a fancy basket for making the highest score of the afternoon. The hostess served ice cream, cake and coffee. The club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Will Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Tron, Misses Ella Settle and Frances Wallace and Willis Settle motored to Daytona Saturday, spending the day and taking in the races.

CEMENT BRIDGE OVER SOUTH CANAL SINKS

The Dixie highway bridge on Magnolia street over the south canal was so badly undermined by the high water after the heavy rains of last week that the supporting banks have given away, causing the center of the bridge to sink over three feet and making it unsafe for traffic The road has been closed to traffic, necessitating a detour to the canal bridge on the river front Arrangements to repair the bridge as soon as possible are being made

Enjoy Masquerade Party

Pupils of the high school thoroughly enjoyed the maquerade party given by the seniors in the band hall last night Games and dancing were the principal amusements of the evening Immediately following the grand march the masks were taken off and prizes for the best costumes were awarded to Rodolphus Sheldon and Carrie Webb. Later refreshments were served and dancing was resumed and continued until 11 o'clock

Noted Ornithologist Here

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Butler of Indianapolis arrived from the north this week and will make an indefinite stay at the Ocean house. Both Mr. and Mrs. Butler have many friends here who are glad to welcome them back to New Smyrna. Officially, Dr. Butler is chairman of the Child Welfare bureau of the state of Indiana, an organization which has had a far reaching influence, not only in the regeneration of the neglected children of that state, but in its effect on the same work in other states. Dr. Butler is also a recognized authority on ornithology and has written a number of books on birds and bird life. He has made an exhaustive and scientific study of Florida birds He has made a particular study of the pelicans and it may be interesting to know that his research work has shown that the large flock of brown pelicans which inhabits the section around Mosquito inlet is one of the few and the largest on the East Coast.

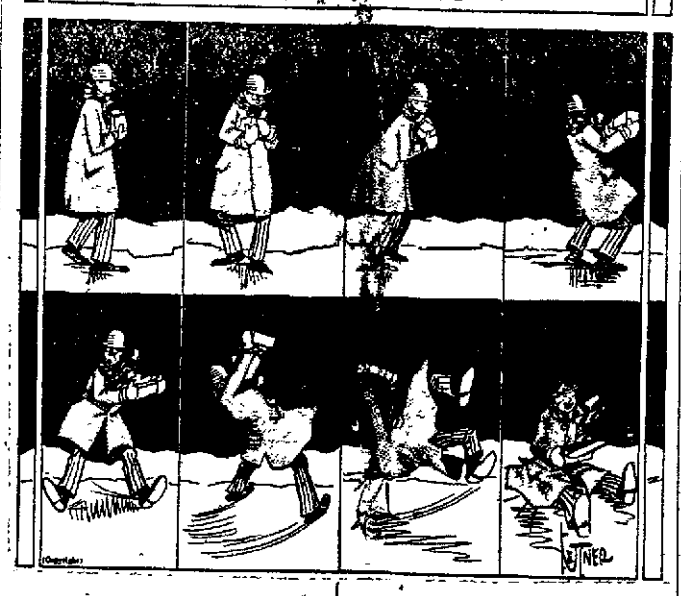
Enjoyed Weiner Roast

The pupils of the eighth grade enjoyed a weiner roast down on the river front last night Weiners and bread and pickles made up the menu, and after playing games they returned home about 9 o'clock The teachers accompanied them and they had a fine time

Meeting of T. D. Js.

The T D Js held a meeting Monday night at the home of Mr and Mrs Victor Newell with a good attendance Plans were made for a valentine party to be held tonight at the home of Mr and Mrs Victor Newell The decorations will be in red and white and it will be an elaborate affair

A Dozen Eggs and a Slippery Walk



LOCAL WOMAN'S CLUB WILL HOLD MEETINGS

ACTIVE WORK TO BE TAKEN UP BY ORGANIZATION AND CARRIED THROUGH REMAINDER OF SEASON.

The New Smyrna Woman's club held a called meeting Monday afternoon at the club room, with over 30 members present. Mrs. E. W. Hopkins acted as temporary chairman, with the regular secretary, Mrs. W. Athearn, serving.

After some discussion as to the advisibility of holding meetings during the short time left this season, it was unanimously agreed to have the programs in the form of current events, which have heretofore proven so interesting to the members. "Citizenship" is to form a large part of the programs, and there will be secured, if possible, several speakers to talk on government and the ballot at the meetings.

Mrs. Marie Frost was chosen president for the unexpired term and Mrs. E. M. Little vice president. Mrs. Frost was the first president when the club was organized and Mrs. Little was the first secretary.

The club will meet regularly as heretofore, the first meeting being called for next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon a silver tea will be given in the club room, with Mesdames Chowning, Allen, Cooper and Latham acting as hostesses. All members and friends who are interested in the club are invited to attend.

The meeting last Monday afternoon was an enthusiastic and interesting one and with the prospects of some interesting meetings during the remainder of this season, the members are urged to attend the meetings regularly.

Near East Relief

M. W. Ashton of the State bank has consented to act as treasurer of the Near East Relief fund in this city. Collections from the several churches and individual subscriptions should be given to him and he will forward these to the Merchants bank in Daytona to be sent with the contributions from the whole county to the state treasurer for the fund. Checks may be made payable to Cleveland H. Dodge, treasurer of the fund.

First Woman's Club Tea

The Woman's club will give its first silver tea of the season Saturday afternoon in the club room on Magnolia street An entertaining program will be presented and all the visiting ladies in town and vicinity, as well as the residents, are invited The hostesses will be Mrs F. M Allen, Mrs. W C Chowning Mrs E A Latham and Miss Mary Russell Griest

TRINITY LADIES AID NAMES OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Trinity Methodist church held last Tuesday the following officers were elected.

President—Mrs O B Griggs

Vice President—Mrs J M Van Hook

Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. W H Newell

There was a good attendance at the meeting and four new members were taken into the society.

VOLUSIA HAS A FINE EXHIBIT AT ORLANDO

THIS COUNTY MAKES SPLENDID SHOWING WITH DISPLAY VIEWED BY THOUSANDS AT THE FAIR.

A note from R. B. F. Roper, who is looking after the Volusia county exhibit at the Sub Tropical Mid-Winter fair at Orlando this week, says the Volusia county exhibit is ahead of any other except the Seminole county vegetable display and he feels very proud of the showing of our county.

The fair is said to be the best ever held in Orlando. The counties represented with exhibits are Volusia, Orange, Osceola, Seminole and Lake. All the buildings on the fair grounds are filled with displays contributed by the leading spirits in the counties named. The offerings in all departments are in the competitive class and then best ones will be awarded prizes and ribbons. There are quantities of citrus fruits, showing the finest kinds, descriptions and grades produced anywhere on earth, and it is asserted the outturn of the state the current season will run over 30,000 carloads. There are displays of lettuce, cabbage, potatoes and other early vegetables, corn, peanuts, dried beans, several kinds of hay and dried cattle fodder and a dozen or more special fruit and nut products.

The program of the fair has been complete in every detail and there is plenty of amusement for the immense crowds in attendance.

The finest exhibition from the viewpoint of thousands of visitors is the Volusia county display. This is shown in the right wing of Horticultural hall and is a credit to all those who contributed to it in any manner. New Smyrna, DeLand, Daytona, Orange City and most of the smaller towns are represented in some way or by some particular product of agriculture or art. Superintendent C. R. M. Sheppard of the Volusia county schools has an exhibit of needle, art and manual training work that is being viewed by thousands and wins flattering comments. Earl W. Brown, secretary of the DeLand Commercial club has an exhibit of poultry in the poultry building and is manager of the Volusia county display He is being assisted by Mr Roper of New Smyrna, County Agent W E Dunaway and wife and A R Mowce, a judge of poultry from Hartford, Conn., who is engaged to pudge poultry at the fair in Tampa

It is estimated that 5,000 persons visited the Volusia exhibit the first two days and there was a big and absorbing interest in all the products on view Yesterday was set apart officially on the program as Volusia and Osceola day Volusia held the center of the stage on all days and was there to keep it to the end.

WILL CELEBRATE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

Next Monday Feb 16, Mr and Mrs Frederick Nordman St will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary by having a high mass celebrated for them at the Catholic church at at 9 o'clock in the morning Both Father Mullalley and Father Cummins will attend and the latter will render a vocal solo After mass they will repair to their home north of the city and enjoy a family reunion and dinner.

STATE HELP ASKED TO REPAIR DIXIE HIGHWAY TO THE SOUTH

County Board Appeals to State Highway Commission for Assistance in Making Necessary Repairs of Damages Caused by Heavy Rains.

At the regular meeting of the county board of commissioners in DeLand last week the tax collector was ordered to collect from all owners of automobiles and trucks used within Volusia county for hire, 55 per cent of the license tax, as fixed by chapter 7275, act of the Florida legislature of 1917, and all such moneys collected shall be paid into the road and bridge fund of Volusia county.

H. W. Powell was allowed to give a personal bond of $500 as road superintendent in lieu of surety bond heretofore demanded.

It was ordered that the communication from the state road department fixing the width of all state roads hereafter laid out to a width of 66 feet be filed for information.

The petition of citizens of Enterprise requesting that the lake shore road from Enterprise dock to Green Springs property line be widened to a width of 40 feet was filed and H. F. Quackenboss, John Padgett and John B. Tuttle were appointed a committee to report on said road at the March meeting of the board.

The supervisor of registration was instructed to move his office to the room in the southeast corner of the courthouse, which has been equipped for him, and the sheriff will be allowed to use the room now occupied by the superintendent's office.

The attorneys for the board were instructed to proceed to collect from Smith & Co. the sum of $210, which has been paid by the county in repairing shell road destroyed by them south of Glenwood.

The report of the committee appointed to report on the widening of the county road from the city limits of the town of Orange City south to the railway crossing of the Florida East Coast railroad at Enterprise, was received and filed and the clerk instructed to advertise the opening of said road to a width of 50 feet, 25 feet on each side of the center line of said road.

Commissioner Codrington was instructed to present plans and estimates for monuments on the Pershing highway at the next regular meeting of the board.

It was ordered that an additional $250 be appropriated to the fair committee to take care of the expense of the Volusia county exhibit at Orlando, and the clerk was instructed to draw a warrant for the entire appropriation.

The report of the committee appointed to mark and view road at Oak Hill was received and filed, the committee discharged and the road ordered advertised along the following metes and bounds: Commencing on the west side of the railroad right of way on the section line between sections 6 and 7, twp. 19, R. 35, at Oak Hill depot, and run northerly along the west side of right of way about 2500 feet, thence northwesterly to the northeast corner of H G Putnam's orange grove fence, thence westerly along the north side of orange grove fence to range line, where range line intersects south line of Wailes grant, thence northwesterly about one-fourth mile to south fence of A. Q. Goodrich's orange grove, thence west along south side of said fence to its southwest corner, thence northwest to the saw grass marsh, near where the township line leaves the marsh, and cross township line into twp. 18, follow around south and west side of marsh to a point about 22 chains north of township line and intersect a road plotted by H. G. Putnam running northwesterly along the west side of marsh and following same to its north end, thence northwesterly to the southeast corner of Sibbold grant, thence northwesterly to the intersection of road laid out and opened southwesterly from Hucomer via. John Clinton's, at or near where said road turns eastward to Ariel station, said point of intersection being in the Sibbold grant.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes:

"Whereas, it has been brought to the attention of the board of county commissioners that the Dixie highway in Commissioner's district No. 5, south of New Smyrna, is in bad condition, and made almost impassable by the excessive rains of the past ten days, and

"Whereas, it appears that the road funds of said district are depleted, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that this board make a request of the state road department for financial aid to assist in the repair of said Dixie highway as above mentioned, and that the clerk of this board submit a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the state road department at once."

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes:

"Whereas, it appears that the public road leading north from Ormond to the Flagler county line is in bad condition and no funds available for tis repair, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that this board make the request of the state road department for financial aid to assist in the repair of said road, and that the clerk of this board submit a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the state road department at once."

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes:

"Whereas, it appears that excessive rains have raised the water to such an extent that the brick road between DeLand and Daytona has been overflowed, and

"Whereas, on the advice of the road engineer it is deemed advisable to closed said brick road to travel of all heavy trucks, pessenger buses and trailers until the water has receded at least six inches below the surface of said road, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that said road be and the same is hereby declared closed to the travel of all heavy trucks, passenger buses and trailers until such time as the water shall have receded to at least six inches below the surface of said road, and the sheriff is hereby instructed to proceed to enforce this order at once.

Interesting Meeting U. D. C.

The members of the U. D. C. enjoyed an interesting meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E M. Little. Plans were discussed for an annual memorial program to be given in April The chapter will meet next month with Mrs D P. Smith. Mrs Little served salad, saltines and hot coffee to her guests and after the meeting a pleasant social halt hour was spent

Devotes Time to Good Cause

J E Costner, the capable and courteous clerk in the Corner Drug store, is devoting some time to a praiseworthy undertaking—cleaning up the river bank at the foot of Canal street Mr Wertelman and Dr Boutchelle have volunteered their assistance in beautifying the river front and any one who wishes to donate seeds of holly hock elephant ear, canna or water lilies may be assured of Mr Costner's hearty acceptance, and the later gratification of seeing a park where has been an eyesore.

Segui Averett of St Augustine visited friends here Sunday

HEARS OF WIFE'S DEATH TWO CHILDREN ARE ILL

Engineer Adams received the sad news Saturday of the death of his wife at their home in Pittsburg, Pa., of pneumonia. Mrs. Adams had been ill but 24 hours and her husband was unaware of her illness until he receiv the news of her death He left at once for Pittsburg His two children are ill with influenza in a hospital in that city The family spent last winter here, occupying the Pittenger cottage, and their friends will be made sad to hear this news

Pleased with New Smyrna

Lewis Little and wife who are spending the winter at Palm Beach, drove up last Friday in their car to visit at Cherokee Lodge with their friends. Mr and Mrs Percival of Vermont, and Mr and Mrs William Stallinger of Kansas They spent four days here, taking a number of short trips to DeLand, Ormond and other points, and were thoroughly delighted with New Smyrna and the nearby country

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SOME FACTS AND FANCIES ABOUT THE PHILIPPINES

There Has Been Much Misrepresentation in America About People and Conditions.

By MAXIMO M. KALAW,
Secretary of the Philippine Mission.

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A certain lady at the St. Louis Exposition saw at a ballroom a brown complexioned man in faultless evening dress and accosted him with the inquiry, "I suppose you are Japanese, sir?"

The man addressed replied, "No, madam."

"Then you must be Chinese," she said.

"No, I am not. I am a Filipino," he replied.

"How's that?" asked the lady. "I thought they were all savages living in the woods."

"Well; I'll tell you how I came here," he said. "A month before I left the Philippines I was living in the woods, but the American Governor decided to catch as many wild men as possible, train them and send them over here. So here I am, just as you see." And the St. Louis lady actually believed him.

That is what you would call fancies about the Philippines. The fact is, however, that the 11,000,000 Filipinos and their ancestors have been civilized and Christians for 300 years; that the non-Christian population, according to the census of 1918, is only 500,000, and even these are not all uncivilized.

Another fancy is that not until the coming of the Americans were school buildings seen in the islands, roads built, or substantial houses erected. Do you know that for hundreds of years the Filipinos have had colleges and schools and that the University of Santo Tomas is only twenty-five years older than Harvard? That as early as 1866, out of a population of 4,000,000 people, there were 841 schools for boys and 833 for girls? That in 1892, eight years before the coming of the Americans, there were 2,137 schools?

"To grant self-government to Luzon under Aguinaldo would be like granting self-government to an Apache reservation under some local chief." Thus spoke a former President of the United States during the Filipino-American war. Exaggeration could be an excuse at a time when the dignity of the American people demanded the extinction of Filipino opposition, but do you know that the Philippine Republic, before the American occupation of the Islands, had the approval of prominent Americans who were on the spot—like John Barrett, Director of the Pan-American Union, who compared it favorably with the Japanese government? That Admiral Dewey considered the Filipinos better fitted for self-government than the Cubans? That they had drafted a constitution at Malalos which elicited the approval of distinguished Republicans like the late Senator George F. Hoar? That before the coming of the Americans they had produced national heroes like the martyred Jose Rizal, pronounced by a Republican congressman, Representative Cooper, as the noblest victim that has ever fallen into the clutches of tyranny?

And do you know that the Filipinos have not had for hundreds of years any caste system, blood distinction or royal families, and that, unlike their oriental sisters, they are the only Christian people in the orient?

People have pictured an ignorant mass of Filipinos, illiterate, poor, living a life of servitude for a few wealthy land owners and foreigners, with no houses or farms or property of their own. Do you know that 70 per cent. of the people above ten years of age can read and write and that this percentage of literacy is almost as high as some of the states of the Union? That it is higher than in any country of South America, higher than the literacy of the Spanish people, and unquestionably above that of any of the new countries recognized in Europe? Do you know that there are a million and a half farms in the Philippines and that 96 per cent. of these farms are owned by Filipinos In other words, that out of the 11,000,000 Christian Filipinos, 8,000,000 of them at least live on their own farms, with houses of their own, independent of any absentee landlord or foreign master? That 91 per cent. of the urban property consisting of houses and lands is owned by the natives of the Philippines, and only 9 per cent. is in the hands of foreigners? Yet these are facts cabled by Acting Governor Charles Emmett Yeager to the War Department from the recent census estimates

Having solemnly promised the Filipinos their independence and having gone before the world as the champion of self determination, the Filipino people cannot understand how America can consistently refuse to make good these promises.

CLIMATE OF THE PHILIPPINES

The Philippine Islands have a mildly tropical climate. The nights are cool and sunstrokes are unknown. The temperature record for the past thirty years shows an average of 80 degrees.

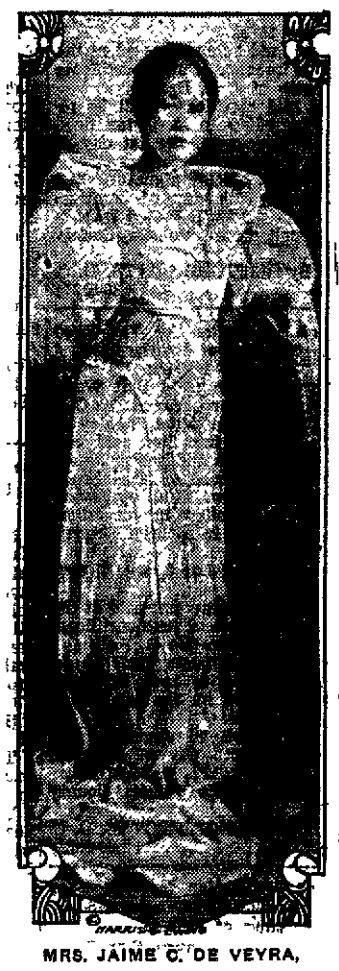
FILIPINAS GET BALLOT BEFORE AMER. SISTERS

Senora de Veyra Describes Status of Women in the Philippines.

The Filipino woman is destined to be in the world's spotlight more than ever before as a result of the news just received by cable from Manila to the effect that the Philippine senate has passed the equal suffrage bill giving women full political rights with men. This would indicate that the Filipina may beat her American sisters to the ballot box.

The Filipina has many admirers who predict she will make good if she gets the vote, just as she has made good in the very important role she has occupied in the family and business life of the Philippines ever since the introduction of Christianity in the islands three centuries ago.

"America's advent in the Philippines discovered a wonderfully interesting, responsive little being; the Filipino woman," writes one American concerning



MRS. JAIME C. DE VEYRA,
A Filipina who is doing important work for her people in the United States.

the Filipina. "Mothering the only Christian people in the far east, she holds a place of authority, love and respect in family and social life that is not accorded to women in countries neighboring the islands, or in India, China or Japan."

A Filipina who is doing an important work for her people in the United States is Mrs. Jaime C de Veyra, wife of the resident commissioner from the Philippines. Not only has she frequently addressed the wives of members of Congress in Washington as to conditions in the new Philippines, but she has visited various cities, speaking before women's clubs. The senora wears, in giving her talks, one of the beautiful gowns of her home land, a delicate pineapple fabric, hand-woven and hand-embroidered, shaped like a gauzy-winged butterfly.

"In many ways the path of the women of the Philippines is easy," says Senora de Veyra. "Laws made by her have combined the best of American and Spanish precedents, and she has come into her own with far less struggle than either her American or her Spanish sisters. Married women may hold property in severalty. They are guardians of their own children. These are vested rights and cannot be taken away from her.

"Professional opportunities are as good for women as for men in the land from which I come. The Filipina is by custom the dictator in the home. She is usually the keeper of the family treasure. Practically all of the small shops in Manila are conducted by women Women are already members of the Philippine Bar Association—a thing still impossible in Great Britain. They are also successful as physicians."

Life is really a fifty-fifty proposition for women in the Philippines, according to the senora, who has taken such a prominent part in women's work there that she has sometimes been referred to as "the little mother of them all" She was the assistant matron of the Normal Hall Dormitory for Girls when she married. She speaks English fluently and puts her little talks "over" with real tact She has four children. An evidence of her enterprise was her action last year in mastering shorthand so she might be "useful to her husband at home in the evenings in case he wishes to dictate a few letters or a speech."

BATTLED OVER PIPE ORGAN

Its Introduction Into Scottish Church, for Which James Watt Was Responsible, Made Trouble.

The current appreciations of James Watt, inventor of the steam engine, have not, so far as we have seen, called forth any protest from the Wee Frees.

Yet Watt was responsible for the first pipe organ built in Scotland, and round it raged one of the fiercest controversies in the history of the movement against instrumental music in the Scottish church.

The story of the organ itself was told fully when the instrument was given a year ago to the Glasgow corporation. It was built by Watt in his house in High street in 1762, and in 1807 found its way into St. Andrew's church, Glasgow. On hearing that the organ was to be played during divine service, the lord provost of the day wrote to Dr. Ritchie, minister of the church, and an enthusiastic fiddler, "begging to know of him if such was really the case," and adding that, if so, he would consider it his duty to enter a solemn protest against him and the congregation for all damages which might be the consequence. Dr. Ritchie was also held personally responsible for "any breach of the peace which might possibly be occasioned by the innovation he had attempted to introduce."

After being used for one Sunday, the organ was closed by command of the Presbytery; and then the floods of controversy were let loose. The "friends of music" were forcible, if not very polite, in a series of pamphlets. Both sides, of course, quoted Scripture freely; and in a Presbytery minute the writer of the pro-organ pamphlets was convicted of "culpable inaccuracy and a scandalous violation of the truth." History, so far as we know, does not record what Watt thought of it all.

The old organ is now the property of Glasgow corporation and stands in the Central hall of the Kelven-Grove galleries.

NOTICE

Patients coming to Daytona to see Dr. Meinhardi will please telephone in advance for appointment.

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The WEEK'S DOINGS

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*Friday sale of Novelty White Voiles at 39c a yard at Elias'.

Mrs. Anna Fielder is slightly ill this week at her home on Orange street.

Mrs. R. L. Montaigne and Mrs. D. E. Settle were visitors in Daytona Tuesday.

Joe Usina went to St. Augustine yesterday to spend several days with his parents.

*The FIDELITY BANK is the only bank in New Smyrna where your deposits are INSURED.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hayes went to Jacksonville Wednesday and will be home tomorrow.

T. V. Pomar, auditor for the F. E. C. railroad, was in the city on business Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Mathews and Jeanette spent the week end in Jacksonville consulting an oculist.

The friends of Mrs. Shigley will be glad to learn she is slowly improving after a very severe illness.

**Lost, Gold bracelet on Canal st. Finder notify Mrs. Bertha Pearson, Gen. del., Tampa, for reward.

At the Grace Episcopal church next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 o'clock and holy communion at 11 a. m.

**Band dance at old Dohn hall tonight. Everybody invited. Admission 75c.

Mrs. Hawthorne came up Saturday from Hawthorne and is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Rush.

*Friday special sale at L. H. Elias' —36-in. Novelty White Voiles and Flaxons at only 39c a yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller of New York visited the latter's mother last week, leaving Sunday for Titusville.

Mrs. H. B. Robinson of Miami arrived last Thursday to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Mobley.

**Lost, Hudson seal neckpiece, stamped inside "Gamble, Cleveland, O." Return to Ocean House for reward.

Mrs. Walter Hagan returned to her home in Jacksonville Monday after a week end visit with Mrs. J. R. Mathews.

**Don't forget the dancing party at the former Dohn hall tonight. Music will be furnished by the full band.

Friends here of J. C. Lyle will be interested in the report from Daytona that he is critically ill at his home in that city.

Rev. M. H. Norton, presiding elder of this district, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church, South, Sunday morning.

*For Rent—Furnished six-room bungalow with all conveniences, central location. H. I. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mobley are entertaining Mr. Mobley's sister, Mrs. R. W. Long of Jacksonville for a visit of a few days.

*39c a yard for Flaxons and White Novelty Voiles at Elias' store today. Special prices for this special goods on this Friday only.

Miss Corinne Neal left Tuesday for Orlando to remain until Sunday with her sister, Miss Ione Neal, and incidentally take in the fair.

*Eggs for hatching, 15 for $2.00. Magnolia Poultry Yards.

Mrs. J. Rush was called to Palatka Friday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Kennerly, who is reported much improved at this time.

*Wanted, telephone poles, 25 or 30 25-ft. cypress poles with at least 4-in. heart at top. See R. Smith at telephone office, New Smyrna.

Mrs. D. C. Fairweather and daughters, Agnes and Henrietta, moved to Sanford Saturday and will make that city their home in future.

*H. I. Hamilton will secure your auto or motor boat license or make out your income tax report.

Bill Lourcey brought a very fine specimen of tortoise shell turtle up from Havana last week and it is now on exhibition in the Maley window.

*Dr. Farr, Phone 107.

The Ladies Altar society held a meeting at the rectory Tuesday afternoon, when final arrangements were made for the supper to be given next week.

*When your automobile needs repairs or overhauling, bring it to the Service Garage, Magnolia street. First class mechanics on the job.

Mrs. George B. Roberts and little son, Dick, arrived Monday from Key West for a visit at the home of Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. G. Earnhardt.

*Good mechanics, first class automobile repair work at the Service Garage, Magnolia street.

Carrol Rowe is enjoying a 15 days furlong from his service in the aviation department at Arcadia and is visiting his relatives and many friends here.

*"Daddy Long Legs," an exceptional entertainment by the Hettie Jane Dunaway company, given under the auspices of the public school at the auditorium Friday, Feb. 20.

*For Sale, my new 5-room cottage with garage at Coronado Beach. Cost of building, $1,600. Will take $1,150. Furniture reserved at this price. J. N. McGaughey, Longwood, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. House motored to Orlando to the fair Monday. The Johnstons remained for the rest of the week in the inland city.

Mrs. Charles Sams and baby, Taylor, returned Tuesday from Gainesville. Mrs. Sams has been away for three months and her friends are all glad to welcome her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Massachusetts, who have spent the last two months at the Chowning home, left Saturday for their home in the north, being called back on business.

*Mechanics that know their business at the Service Garage, Magnolia street.

Friends of Miss Eva Mae Rogero will regret to learn of her serious illness in the hospital in St. Augustine, following an operation. She is reported to be slowly improving now.

Mrs. Edward S. Earnhardt, wife of Lieut. Earnhardt of the battleship Delaware, arrived Monday for a visit at the home of Lieut. Earnhardt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. G. Earnhardt.

*The only Banks in Volusia County with INSURED DEPOSITS are the Bank of Lake Helen and the FIDELITY BANK, NEW SMYRNA.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, who are at Mrs. Chilton's, motored to Palm Beach last Saturday and returned Wednesday. They report a delightful trip.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Vondy Arnold will be interested to learn of the birth of a daughter at their home in Syracuse, N. Y., last week. Mrs. Arnold was formerly Miss Ruth Courtney.

**The Ladies Aid society of Trinity M. E. church will serve a cafeteria chicken pilau supper in the Sunday school room Thursday, Feb. 19, beginning at 5:30 p. m. Everybody must come.

C. H. Crowder, the well known shoe man of Indianapolis, arrived in New Smyrna Monday to join his sister, Miss Grace Crowder, at the Ocean House, where she has been a guest for some weeks.

*Special sale of Flaxons at Elias'.

The New Smyrna Band will give another of the series of popular dancing parties in their rehearsal hall tonight. These dances are proving very popular with the tourists and home people.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Farnell motored to Titusville Sunday and on the return trip were accompanied by Mrs. Farnell's sister, Mrs. W. Jones, and baby, who are spending some time with them.

Inez, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Leitner, has been quite ill this week, but is slowly improving now. She was in Ormond visiting her grandmother when taken sick and was brought home Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church met with Mrs. John Tanner Tuesday afternoon. The regular monthly social afternoon will be held next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. M. E. Langford.

Edwin Scalf came home the last of the week from Duluth, Minn., where he has recently been in the employ of an electric company. He has been in the north for the last two years, spending much of that time in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osmun and Judge and Mrs. F. J. Russell motored to Orlando last week. Mr. and Mrs. Osmun returned home Friday, but Judge and Mrs. Russell remained over for this week to enjoy the fair.

The W. C. T. U. held an interesting meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. C. A. Roach. The hostess served cookies and coffee. The next meeting will be Friday, February 20 at the home of Mrs. E. L. McAuley.

Mrs. Victor Newell will leave tomorrow for Tampa to spend Gasparilla week with her mother, Mrs. Molie George Adams. Miss Corinne Neal will fill her place as teacher in the public schools next week.

*For rent, two housekeeping rooms. Apply at Palace Cafe.

Miss Whitney Hibbard left Sunday morning for Tallahassee to resume her school work at the State College for Women. On account of belated trains, due to washouts, she did not reach her destination until Monday night.

Mr. Kimball of Haverhill, Mass., who has been stopping for several weeks at the Ocean House, is a veteran walker. Every day he makes a hike of 10 to 15 miles out into the surrounding country and to nearby towns.

Miss Beryl Murray is filling the position of pianist at the Rio Vista hotel.

Rev. B. F. Green went to Grandin Saturday to attend the funeral of a friend. From there he went to Welaka, Fla.

Mr. Byrd of Rio Vista Park is having a boathouse built on the river front just opposite his home, which fronts on the Dixie highway.

Mrs. Miller, mother of E. E. Miller, arrived this week from Chicago and will remain south for the balance of the winter, spending part of the time with her son here and the other part with her daughter, Mrs. Morgan, in Titusville.

*The ladies of the Catholic church will serve a cafeteria supper next Thursday at Guild hall, beginning at 5 p. m. Menu: Chicken pilau, baked beans, macaroni, cabbage and potato salad, sliced ham and pork and hot coffee and rolls.

About 35 people from New Smyrna went up by automobile to attend the Christian Science lecture by John W. Doorly in the church in Daytona Monday night. He is a magnetic speaker and his exposition of the scriptures made a profound impression on his listeners.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Chowning, accompanied by Dr. Davis Forster, motored to Daytona Friday to attend the meeting of the Volusia County Medical society. They also took with them Mr. and Mrs. Frater of Cleveland, who are stopping with the Chownings.

Mrs. J. Tom Smith and Frances Belle returned Friday night from a week's visit in Jacksonville. Mrs. Smith's niece, Mrs. T. T. Auberry, whom she was visiting, and her little daughter, Elizabeth, came back to New Smyrna with Mrs. Smith to spend a week or two.

Mrs. H. C. Phillips went to Orlando Tuesday morning to spend a couple of days attending the fair and especially to see the exhibits of poultry and the newest methods in feeding and care. Mrs. Phillips has some Rhode Island Reds of which she is justly proud and she is interested in any new ideas as to raising fowls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Batey and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Batey and family, who have been located for some time at Cherokee Lodge, have taken apartments and have begun housekeeping, the A. S. Bateys being located in the Trinity M. E. parsonage and the J. G. Batey family at Mrs. Bell's.

Mrs. J. A. Woodward and her mother, Mrs. F. G. Hart, went to Tampa Tuesday to visit Mrs. Hart's daughter, Mrs. Freeman, who is very ill at her home in that city. Mrs. Woodward has been caring for her baby niece, Mary Sue Freeman, and as the little lady's mother had expressed a wish to see her, they took her with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Geopper, Mrs. Lycett and Mr. Van Arminge, all guests at Alba Court, drove over to the fair at Orlando. They enjoyed the trip very much and admired the Florida scenery and the beautiful city of Orlando with its lakes and handsome homes, but all united in saying it seemed good to get back to New Smyrna.

The Rev. Frederick Sexton and Miss Sexton returned Thursday to their home in Connecticut after several weeks very pleasantly spent in New Smyrna at Alba Court.

Injured in Wreck

A. B. Tanner, who was injured in the freight wreck at Elkton last Friday, experienced a broken rib and severe contusions on the head and on Monday was compelled to return to the raiload hospital in St. Augustine for further treatment.

Stars Have Social Time

At the regular meeting of the local chapter of the Eastern Star held Monday evening, one new member, Mrs. S. S. Mann, was initiated into the order, and following the initiation a social hour was enjoyed, during which refreshments of sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served. The next meeting will be held February 23 and all visiting members will be cordially welcomed.

Committees Preparing for Fair

The committees to report on the fair to be given by the Associated Charities met Wednesday afternoon at the Pitzer store, at which time it was found that generous donations had been received. All those who have not been visited and wish to donate toward this worthy cause are asked to hand donations to some of the committee. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and a more detailed report is expected, as all the city has not yet been canvassed.

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Coronado News

Quite a number of people from here attended the Orlando fair this week.

Mrs. Hoss of Jonesboro, Tenn., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Jessie K. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Olds of Ashley, Ohio, are stopping at the John Adams for some weeks.

Miss Mildred Taylor of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived Friday for a visit with her friend, Mrs. Clara Tear.

Mrs. Edith Douglass has returned from a very pleasant visit with relatives in Palm Beach and Miami.

Just two weeks till the bazaar at the clubhouse, Feb. 21st. Everybody is looking forward to the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass and little daughter of Grand Rapids, Mich., are recent arrivals at the Barber house.

Mr. and Mrs. David Studebaker and little daughter are pleasantly located for the remainder of the season in the Obenauer cottage.

The many friends of Mrs. John Silsby will be glad to know she is at home after two weeks in a Daytona hospital. She is convalescing nicely.

F. N. Holmes of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived last week for a month's stay with his wife and mother, who are spending the winter here.

The friends of Mrs. J. A. Reed will regret to learn that her mother is still critically ill in a hospital at DeLand. Mrs. Reed is at her bedside.

At the land sale in New Smyrna last week Mrs. Dewey drew one of the chests of silver that was given away and Mrs. Cole drew a set of tea spoons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankenberg, Mrs. Bertha LaBarr and Mrs. L. A. Vance of Columbus, Ohio, are recent arrivals and are stopping in the Daugherty cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Tarbell left last Friday for a motor trip to the west coast. On their return trip they will stop at Orlando and take in the fair.

There have arrived recently at the Hollywood Villa for a month's stay, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, Mr. Bell and Mrs. Jackson of Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Turney of Frankfort, Ky.

John Vrooman and Mrs. Harold Vrooman came in from their hunting camp in the woods last week. Mrs. Vrooman returned Wednesday, but Mr. Vrooman will remain at his home.

Mesdames Bess Worden and Clara Tear went to Jacksonville last week to meet Miss Taylor of Cleveland, who will visit Miss Tear during the remainder of the season.

The following persons left for Miami Monday morning on a motor trip to be gone four days: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pryor, Miss Frances Hill, Mrs. Ella Wheeler, Mrs. Marion Minor and W. L. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton returned last week from a motor trip to St. Petersburg, bringing with them Mrs. Norton's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roche, who will visit the Norton's for awhile.

SAMSULA NEWS

J. S. Shoesmith made a brief visit to friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Poythress attended church in DeLand Sunday.

Mrs. H. Hofreiter and little daughter of New Smyrna spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Poythress.

Rev. and Mrs. Milroy were pleasant visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watters Sunday. Rev. Mr. Milroy filled his appointment Sunday evening.

We understand that work is now being done on the washouts between Samsula and New Smyrna, which, on account of the heavy rains have been impassable the last week.

The school children under the supervision of Mrs. Samsula are beginning work on their spring garden. Some of these children may now be termed efficient farmers as their work well shows.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Sipes and baby, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Geiger, were visitors at the homes of Mesdames Samsula and Wildasin Sunday. Mrs. Sipes and baby will remain a few days.

The big floating dredge which has been in operation in the Lake Ashby drainage district the past two years, has completed its work here and the workmen are now preparing to take it elsewhere. The district dredge is now being set up and will soon begin work on the small ditches.

Our people are beginning to see the good effects of the drainage in this section as the growing crops were not at all injured by the recent heavy rains. When this drainage is completed the floods will no longer be feared and our farmers, who have heretofore been working, making splendid crops at times, then again to have them inundated, will bask in the sunshine of peace and plenty. We venture to say we now have some as fine crops as there are in the state.

SHILOH AND ALLENHURST

Miss Carrie Webster has returned to Coronado to be with Mrs. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kuhl and Mrs. Pattillo were visitors in Titusville Sunday.

C. P. Read and party of Daytona called on friends in Shiloh and Allenhurst Sunday.

The Rockdale Nursery company is busy shipping trees to all parts of the country, a carload going to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport and daughter Pearl have returned to their home near Rome, Ga., after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hallum.

The Child's Welfare league met Thursday at the home of Mrs. G. B. Cooper, and the annual election of officers was held at this meeting. Mrs. Kuhl was re-elected president, Mrs. Crawford Pattillo treasurer and Mrs. G. L. Comer secretary. Dr. M. Josie Rogers of Daytona gave an interesting talk and naswered many questions pertaining to welfare work. Miss Mahlon also assisted in the program. Her work is well known in this community and she is loved by everyone. Lois Taylor and Henrietta Kuhl sang a duet. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Cooper served coffee and cake.

Statement of condition of

THE FIDELITY BANK

of New Smyrna

As made to the State Comptroller December 31, 1919

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	$169,934.63	Capital	$ 25,000.00
Overdrafts	22.09	Surplus and Profits	3,787.28
U. S. Bonds	7,150.00	DEPOSITS	283,394.85
Other Bonds	42,289.41		
Stocks	12,410.00		
Fixtures	5,843.99		
Real Estate	642.35		
Cash and Due from Banks	73,889.66		
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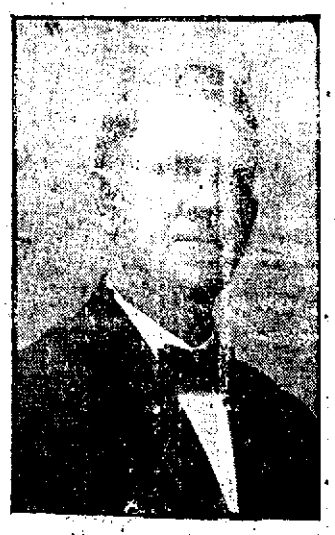

JOHN W. WATSON

MIAMI, FLORIDA

In presenting myself as a candidate for the nomination to the governorship of Florida, by the democratic voters of the State, I realize the many heavy responsibilities I will assume, if nominated and elected.

I believe that my long experience as a legislator, covering twenty-two years, has given me a thorough insight into the needs of this great state. My record in office is an open book; I have consistently stood for real progress of the state, and have been a strong supporter of the great measures which have passed the legislature in my time of service there.

I believe that there never was a time in the history of this state or of this nation that has demanded greater clearness of thought or firmness of action than the present. The seeds of Bolshevism and Anarchism have been scattered broadcast over this country, until their fruits threaten the very life of our nation and our state. These things are not American and not of America. They are foreign born and speak a language foreign to our institutions. They are not of us and must be destroyed if we are to perpetuate our liberties under our present form of government. Our only safety is in just laws vigorously and impartially administered.

If I am elected governor of the State of Florida, I pledge myself to a vigorous administration of the State's affairs and the just enforcement of all its laws.

Lower Taxes and Retrenchment Are Absolutely Necessary

State legislation revolves around the question of taxes, the great problem of civilization is to see that the burden of taxation will be equalized and not excessive upon the individual. I believe that a considerable reduction can be made in the taxation of this State: First, by the elimination of useless offices and the requirement of full service from everyone who holds a commission from the State. Second, the Budget System offers great opportunity for the elimination of State expense. If I am elected your governor I will urge upon the legislature the passage of such laws as will require a complete estimate from the heads of the State government of the requirements of each department for the succeeding two years. These reports to be submitted to the Governor who will in turn present them to the legislature so that a proper budget, NOT TO BE EXCEEDED, can be prepared by the legislative body. There will be an adoption of strict business methods and the equalization of taxes of the State. I favor the lowest possible tax rate consistent with good government, and maintaining our state institutions up to a high and humane standard.

Good Roads

I have always been an advocate of good roads. The adoption by the last legislature of a law which meets the requirements of Federal aid for State roads has eliminated the necessity for further education of the people on the value of good roads. If elected I will use all the powers of the office to see that the funds raised for good roads are efficiently and economically administered and that each and every section of the State receives its full and fair proportion of the roads provided by that legislation.

Education

During my legislative career I have always taken a keen interest in educational matters. Florida's school system compares favorably with that of any other state in the Union. It has been my constant endeavor while connected with the public administration to advance the interest of Florida's public schools in every particular. Slowly and gradually we have built up a school system which promises complete education for every child of the state with the expense equitably distributed among all the people. I would favor the inauguration of farm schools for boys and girls. Agriculture is the basis of the prosperity of the State of Florida. The majority of the boys and girls we are now educating in our common schools will find their vocations in the farms, groves and gardens of Florida. They should be given every opportunity for early and thorough education in agriculture as a part of our public school system.

Suffrage

The time has come when the legislature of Florida should give the people of the state an opportunity to pass upon the question whether the women of the state should be admitted to suffrage. The magnificent womanhood of Florida has done its share in building up our state. During the great war, now happily ended, there was no more loyal, earnest or self-sacrificing class among all our people than our women. I am not in favor, however, of the legislature of the State of Florida ratifying the amendment to the Federal Constitution giving women the right to vote, as I believe such action is a surrender of State sovereignty to the Federal government, not contemplated by the Fathers of the Country and subserving of true democracy. I believe it to be a prerogative of the State, and the State alone should exercise it.

Great Danger

One of the great dangers that faces our Country at this time is the development of class feeling, dividing one portion of the people from another, one industry from another, constantly making far greater disorder and dissention among the people who must live at peace if they are to fulfill their manifest destinies. If elected I will endeavor to overcome this condition of affairs in this state.

The Farmer

For some reason the farm has had less consideration than have other industries, and yet the farm is the basis of all industry. The soil is the only resource of man that renews itself continually after producing value. I believe that the farmer should receive the same consideration, in legislation, as any other class of people. Our agricultural industries should be encouraged. The State should not hesitate to give every reasonable assistance in stamping out hog cholera, boll weevil, citrus canker, cattle tick and all other pests or diseases that threaten the very life of the industry.

My 22 years' record in the legislature of Florida, serving one term, 1901, as Speaker, on these important matters speaks for itself.

Labor

Labor is the mainspring that moves the world, it matters not whether the man carries a hod, plows the soil, works in a store or in an office—the man worth while is the man who works. Labor and capital go hand in hand and both are essential to the development and upbuilding of the state. I believe the laborer to be worthy of his hire, and should receive a wage sufficient to properly care for his wife and children. I realize that labor has a right to organize for its own protection, but it has no right to do violence to those who are unorganized, nor to illegally destroy the property of others. If elected I will endeavor to bring about a better understanding and a more harmonious working between labor and capital. I will play no capitalist favorites for the sake of friendship and no labor favorites for the sake of votes, but a square deal to all.

Our Soldiers and Sailors

To the World's Greatest War, now ending, Florida sent more than thirty thousand of her brave boys. They represented every station in life, every religious creed, and every political faith. Many of them will never return. Some died in cantonment camps, others on foreign soil, but all made the great sacrifice to uphold Liberty and Justice. They died that we might not live in vain. Let us so live that they shall not have died in vain. "It is for the living to carry forward their purpose and make fruitful their sacrifice." I believe that this nation should hold them in affectionate remembrance and generously provide for any dependents left behind, and provide work and homes on easy payments for those returning. Our duty is to bring peace and contentment back to the world, with freedom for every man to live according to his conscience; to choose his own religion; and to have a voice in the government under which he lives. As your governor I would give my best efforts to making these established principles in this state.

The National Guard

I must earnestly endorse the reorganization of the National Guard, under the supervision of the governors of the several states. The recent race riots in Chicago, Washington, Knoxville and other sections of the country convince me that every community should have a well equipped military organization. If elected as your governor, in the absence of the National Guard, I would encourage and support a company of Home Guards in the several counties of the State.

Internal Improvements

If elected I will make every endeavor to have the United States government assist in completing the drainage of the Everglades, as they did in irrigating the arid lands in the West.

To take over and maintain ten feet of water in the East Coast Canal from Jacksonville to Key West, and to dig a ship canal across the state as indicated by our senators and representatives in congress.

The inland waterways along the northwest coast of Florida should be connected. The Stuart canal and the new Miami canal should connect in Lake Okeechobee and continue to Ft. Myers, thereby opening up a most fertile and productive section of Florida to a people who are only waiting transportation.

In Conclusion

Let me say that Florida is more prominently before the people of this nation, as a state for homeseekers, than any other state in the Union, and every legitimate inducement should be offered, not only to homeseekers but to capital seeking investment. And we should give more attention to the quality of settlers, than to the quantity and all should be one hundred per cent American. If elected I shall exercise the high functions of the office solely for the purpose of securing an honorable, economical, just, progressive and business administration.

I ask your support.

J. W. WATSON.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF VOLUSIA COUNTY IN GOOD CONDITION

Report of Superintendent C. R. M. Sheppard Is Submitted To the County Board at Regular Monthly Meeting Held in DeLand Last Week.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Volusia county school board held in DeLand last week, the superintendent submitted the following report:

I am unable to make a complete financial report as several of the banks acting as district bond fund depositories have not rendered statements of such accounts as required on the first of each month.

Acting under your direction I have instructed all district depositories to transfer sufficient funds from the open to the savings accounts to place not less than 75 per cent of the total deposits on 4 per cent interest. All banks heard from have complied with said instructions except the First National Bank of Daytona, I have written this bank again, refusing to accept the required monthly statement until such transfers have been made

I have purchased about $400 worth of tools and equipment for the DeLand Manual Training Department as per your instructions. The entire equipment authorized has not been placed as yet. I have equipped the city hall at Ormond as a school room and now have Mrs. Grace Moore Adams in charge of that, the fifth, room in the school. I have placed new equipment in the Ariel school out of our New Smyrna stock. Have also furnished twenty new seats to Daytona out of same.

Acting upon the approval of Commissioners Gould and Lemmon, I have shipped 50 sacks of cement to Barberville for construction of cement walks, W. D. Bradshaw having agreed to do the work under the direction of Mr. Lemmon.

Miss Dorothy Sawyer having resigned her position in the grammar grade department of the Central high school, I assigned her to the fifth grade in New Smyrna where she is now at work.

I have made officials visits to the following schools during the last school month. Orange City, Osteen, Enterprise, Briggsville, Glencoe, Ariel, Oak Hill, New Smyrna, twice each, once alone and once with the state inspector. Also, Lake Helen, Glenwood, DeLeon, Emporia, Pierson, Seville, Turn Bull Bay, Pt. Orange, Blake, Holly Hill and Ormond, with the state inspector. With one or two exceptions I find these schools in excellent condition as you will see from the inspectors report. The exceptions mentioned herein are schools well equipped, but for some reasons no pride is taken in the care of the school premises. I accompanied the state school inspector to visit 16 grammar schools of the county, and am pleased to report that 14 out of this number passed the state's requirements for standardized rural and village schools, each receiving a handsome diploma from the state. I am also proud to report that Volusia is the first county in Florida to place rural and village schools on the standard list.

In compliance with your instructions, I took up with the state industrial school the matter of a discharge for Thoe Dotts and John Raiford, committee for a violation of the compulsory attendance law, and am advised that John Raiford has been discharged but that Theo Dotts will not be until his parents send clothes and money for transportation back home. The superintendent of that institution claims that the delay in discharging these boys was due to failure of parents to send clothes and transportation as required by the state.

Attendance Officer's report wa received and ordered filed, there being nothing particular of interest to the public, other than routine matters.

The superintendent was instructed to notify all banks acting as district despositories that reports required at the first of each month must be rendered promptly. Also to insist that instructions in reference to transfer to 4 per cent accounts.

The semi-annual detailed statement of receipts and disbursements, assets and liabilities to the comptroller, as prepared by the secretary in accordance with law was approved and certified to. This report covers 27 pages of typewritten matter, dealing with the finances of the board of public instruction, and shows the net worth of the county as reference to the schools as about a half million dollars.

The matter of increasing insurance on the Oak Hill school as recommended by the local trustees was discussed, and it was ordered that they be advised that the board never carries a full value policy on any school.

The county superintendent presented a plan for holding a joint meeting of the East Coast and west side teachers' associations in Daytona during April. The plan was approved, and he was given authority to use county school buses in transporting west side teachers to Daytona, and to secure a good speaker for the occasion

Auction Club Meets

The meeting of the Auction club this week was at the home of Mrs. E. W Hopkins, and the usual number of members enjoyed the games. Mrs. Carson received a fancy basket for making the highest score of the afternoon. The hostess served ice cream, cake and coffee. The club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Will Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Tron, Misses Ella Settle and Frances Wallace and Willis Settle motored to Daytona Saturday, spending the day and taking in the races.

CEMENT BRIDGE OVER SOUTH CANAL SINKS

The Dixie highway bridge on Magnolia street over the south canal was so badly undermined by the high water after the heavy rains of last week that the supporting banks have given away, causing the center of the bridge to sink over three feet and making it unsafe for traffic The road has been closed to traffic, necessitating a detour to the canal bridge on the river front Arrangements to repair the bridge as soon as possible are being made

Enjoy Masquerade Party

Pupils of the high school thoroughly enjoyed the maquerade party given by the seniors in the band hall last night Games and dancing were the principal amusements of the evening Immediately following the grand march the masks were taken off and prizes for the best costumes were awarded to Rodolphus Sheldon and Carrie Webb. Later refreshments were served and dancing was resumed and continued until 11 o'clock

Noted Ornithologist Here

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Butler of Indianapolis arrived from the north this week and will make an indefinite stay at the Ocean house. Both Mr. and Mrs. Butler have many friends here who are glad to welcome them back to New Smyrna. Officially, Dr. Butler is chairman of the Child Welfare bureau of the state of Indiana, an organization which has had a far reaching influence, not only in the regeneration of the neglected children of that state, but in its effect on the same work in other states. Dr. Butler is also a recognized authority on ornithology and has written a number of books on birds and bird life. He has made an exhaustive and scientific study of Florida birds He has made a particular study of the pelicans and it may be interesting to know that his research work has shown that the large flock of brown pelicans which inhabits the section around Mosquito inlet is one of the few and the largest on the East Coast.

Enjoyed Weiner Roast

The pupils of the eighth grade enjoyed a weiner roast down on the river front last night Weiners and bread and pickles made up the menu, and after playing games they returned home about 9 o'clock The teachers accompanied them and they had a fine time

Meeting of T. D. Js.

The T D Js held a meeting Monday night at the home of Mr and Mrs Victor Newell with a good attendance Plans were made for a valentine party to be held tonight at the home of Mr and Mrs Victor Newell The decorations will be in red and white and it will be an elaborate affair

A Dozen Eggs and a Slippery Walk

LOCAL WOMAN'S CLUB WILL HOLD MEETINGS

ACTIVE WORK TO BE TAKEN UP BY ORGANIZATION AND CARRIED THROUGH REMAINDER OF SEASON.

The New Smyrna Woman's club held a called meeting Monday afternoon at the club room, with over 30 members present. Mrs. E. W. Hopkins acted as temporary chairman, with the regular secretary, Mrs. W. Athearn, serving.

After some discussion as to the advisibility of holding meetings during the short time left this season, it was unanimously agreed to have the programs in the form of current events, which have heretofore proven so interesting to the members. "Citizenship" is to form a large part of the programs, and there will be secured, if possible, several speakers to talk on government and the ballot at the meetings.

Mrs. Marie Frost was chosen president for the unexpired term and Mrs. E. M. Little vice president. Mrs. Frost was the first president when the club was organized and Mrs. Little was the first secretary.

The club will meet regularly as heretofore, the first meeting being called for next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon a silver tea will be given in the club room, with Mesdames Chowning, Allen, Cooper and Latham acting as hostesses. All members and friends who are interested in the club are invited to attend.

The meeting last Monday afternoon was an enthusiastic and interesting one and with the prospects of some interesting meetings during the remainder of this season, the members are urged to attend the meetings regularly.

Near East Relief

M. W. Ashton of the State bank has consented to act as treasurer of the Near East Relief fund in this city. Collections from the several churches and individual subscriptions should be given to him and he will forward these to the Merchants bank in Daytona to be sent with the contributions from the whole county to the state treasurer for the fund. Checks may be made payable to Cleveland H. Dodge, treasurer of the fund.

First Woman's Club Tea

The Woman's club will give its first silver tea of the season Saturday afternoon in the club room on Magnolia street An entertaining program will be presented and all the visiting ladies in town and vicinity, as well as the residents, are invited The hostesses will be Mrs F. M Allen, Mrs. W C Chowning Mrs E A Latham and Miss Mary Russell Griest

TRINITY LADIES AID NAMES OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Trinity Methodist church held last Tuesday the following officers were elected.

President—Mrs O B Griggs

Vice President—Mrs J M Van Hook

Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. W H Newell

There was a good attendance at the meeting and four new members were taken into the society.

VOLUSIA HAS A FINE EXHIBIT AT ORLANDO

THIS COUNTY MAKES SPLENDID SHOWING WITH DISPLAY VIEWED BY THOUSANDS AT THE FAIR.

A note from R. B. F. Roper, who is looking after the Volusia county exhibit at the Sub Tropical Mid-Winter fair at Orlando this week, says the Volusia county exhibit is ahead of any other except the Seminole county vegetable display and he feels very proud of the showing of our county.

The fair is said to be the best ever held in Orlando. The counties represented with exhibits are Volusia, Orange, Osceola, Seminole and Lake. All the buildings on the fair grounds are filled with displays contributed by the leading spirits in the counties named. The offerings in all departments are in the competitive class and then best ones will be awarded prizes and ribbons. There are quantities of citrus fruits, showing the finest kinds, descriptions and grades produced anywhere on earth, and it is asserted the outturn of the state the current season will run over 30,000 carloads. There are displays of lettuce, cabbage, potatoes and other early vegetables, corn, peanuts, dried beans, several kinds of hay and dried cattle fodder and a dozen or more special fruit and nut products.

The program of the fair has been complete in every detail and there is plenty of amusement for the immense crowds in attendance.

The finest exhibition from the viewpoint of thousands of visitors is the Volusia county display. This is shown in the right wing of Horticultural hall and is a credit to all those who contributed to it in any manner. New Smyrna, DeLand, Daytona, Orange City and most of the smaller towns are represented in some way or by some particular product of agriculture or art. Superintendent C. R. M. Sheppard of the Volusia county schools has an exhibit of needle, art and manual training work that is being viewed by thousands and wins flattering comments. Earl W. Brown, secretary of the DeLand Commercial club has an exhibit of poultry in the poultry building and is manager of the Volusia county display He is being assisted by Mr Roper of New Smyrna, County Agent W E Dunaway and wife and A R Mowee, a judge of poultry from Hartford, Conn., who is engaged to pudge poultry at the fair in Tampa

It is estimated that 5,000 persons visited the Volusia exhibit the first two days and there was a big and absorbing interest in all the products on view Yesterday was set apart officially on the program as Volusia and Osceola day Volusia held the center of the stage on all days and was there to keep it to the end.

WILL CELEBRATE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

Next Monday Feb 16, Mr and Mrs Frederick Nordman St will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary by having a high mass celebrated for them at the Catholic church at at 9 o'clock in the morning Both Father Mullaley and Father Cummins will attend and the latter will render a vocal solo After mass they will repair to their home north of the city and enjoy a family reunion and dinner.

STATE HELP ASKED TO REPAIR DIXIE HIGHWAY TO THE SOUTH

County Board Appeals to State Highway Commission for Assistance in Making Necessary Repairs of Damages Caused by Heavy Rains.

At the regular meeting of the county board of commissioners in DeLand last week the tax collector was ordered to collect from all owners of automobiles and trucks used within Volusia county for hire, 55 per cent of the license tax, as fixed by chapter 7275, act of the Florida legislature of 1917, and all such moneys collected shall be paid into the road and bridge fund of Volusia county.

H. W. Powell was allowed to give a personal bond of $500 as road superintendent in lieu of surety bond heretofore demanded.

It was ordered that the communication from the state road department fixing the width of all state roads hereafter laid out to a width of 66 feet be filed for information.

The petition of citizens of Enterprise requesting that the lake shore road from Enterprise dock to Green Springs property line be widened to a width of 40 feet was filed and H. F. Quackenboss, John Padgett and John B. Tuttle were appointed a committee to report on said road at the March meeting of the board.

The supervisor of registration was instructed to move his office to the room in the southeast corner of the courthouse, which has been equipped for him, and the sheriff will be allowed to use the room now occupied by the superintendent's office.

The attorneys for the board were instructed to proceed to collect from Smith & Co. the sum of $210, which has been paid by the county in repairing shell road destroyed by them south of Glenwood.

The report of the committee appointed to report on the widening of the county road from the city limits of the town of Orange City south to the railway crossing of the Florida East Coast railroad at Enterprise, was received and filed and the clerk instructed to advertise the opening of said road to a width of 50 feet, 25 feet on each side of the center line of said road.

Commissioner Codrington was instructed to present plans and estimates for monuments on the Pershing highway at the next regular meeting of the board.

It was ordered that an additional $250 be appropriated to the fair committee to take care of the expense of the Volusia county exhibit at Orlando, and the clerk was instructed to draw a warrant for the entire appropriation.

The report of the committee appointed to mark and view road at Oak Hill was received and filed, the committee discharged and the road ordered advertised along the following metes and bounds: Commencing on the west side of the railroad right of way on the section line between sections 6 and 7, twp. 19, R. 35, at Oak Hill depot, and run northerly along the west side of right of way about 2500 feet, thence northwesterly to the northeast corner of H G Putnam's orange grove fence, thence westerly along the north side of orange grove fence to range line, where range line intersects south line of Wailes grant, thence northwesterly about one-fourth mile to south fence of A. Q. Goodrich's orange grove, thence west along south side of said fence to its southwest corner, thence northwest to the saw grass marsh, near where the township line leaves the marsh, and cross township line into twp. 18, follow around south and west side of marsh to a point about 22 chains north of township line and intersect a road plotted by H. G. Putnam running northwesterly along the west side of marsh and following same to its north end, thence northwesterly to the southeast corner of Sibbold grant, thence northwesterly to the intersection of road laid out and opened southwesterly from Hacomer via. John Clinton's, at or near where said road turns eastward to Ariel station, said point of intersection being in the Sibbold grant.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes:

"Whereas, it has been brought to the attention of the board of county commissioners that the Dixie highway in Commissioner's district No. 5, south of New Smyrna, is in bad condition, and made almost impassable by the excessive rains of the past ten days, and

"Whereas, it appears that the road funds of said district are depleted, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that this board make a request of the state road department for financial aid to assist in the repair of said Dixie highway as above mentioned, and that the clerk of this board submit a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the state road department at once."

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes:

"Whereas, it appears that the public road leading north from Ormond to the Flagler county line is in bad condition and no funds available for its repair, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that this board make the request of the state road department for financial aid to assist in the repair of said road, and that the clerk of this board submit a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the state road department at once."

The following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes:

"Whereas, it appears that excessive rains have raised the water to such an extent that the brick road between DeLand and Daytona has been overflowed, and

"Whereas, on the advice of the road engineer it is deemed advisable to closed said brick road to travel of all heavy trucks, passenger buses and trailers until the water has receded at least six inches below the surface of said road, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that said road be and the same is hereby declared closed to the travel of all heavy trucks, passenger buses and trailers until such time as the water shall have receded to at least six inches below the surface of said road, and the sheriff is hereby instructed to proceed to enforce this order at once.

Interesting Meeting U. D. C.

The members of the U. D. C. enjoyed an interesting meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E M. Little. Plans were discussed for an annual memorial program to be given in April The chapter will meet next month with Mrs D P. Smith. Mrs Little served salad, saltines and hot coffee to her guests and after the meeting a pleasant social half hour was spent

Devotes Time to Good Cause

J E Costner, the capable and courteous clerk in the Corner Drug store, is devoting some time to a praiseworthy undertaking—cleaning up the river bank at the foot of Canal street Mr Wertelman and Dr Bouchelle have volunteered their assistance in beautifying the river front and any one who wishes to donate seeds of holly hock elephant ear, canna or water lilies may be assured of Mr Costner's hearty acceptance, and the later gratification of seeing a park where has been an eyesore.

Segui Averett of St Augustine visited friends here Sunday

HEARS OF WIFE'S DEATH TWO CHILDREN ARE ILL

Engineer Adams received the sad news Saturday of the death of his wife at their home in Pittsburg, Pa., of pneumonia. Mrs. Adams had been ill but 24 hours and her husband was unaware of her illness until he received the news of her death He left at once for Pittsburg His two children are ill with influenza in a hospital in that city The family spent last winter here, occupying the Pittenger cottage, and their friends will be made sad to hear this news

Pleased with New Smyrna

Lewis Little and wife who are spending the winter at Palm Beach, drove up last Friday in their car to visit at Cherokee Lodge with their friends. Mr and Mrs Percival of Vermont, and Mr and Mrs William Spallinger of Kansas They spent four days here, taking a number of short trips to DeLand, Ormond and other points, and were thoroughly delighted with New Smyrna and the nearby country

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THE BETTER WAY

By CECILLE LANGDON

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The double marriage of Walter Dorrance and Vinnie Tresham and Frank Dolby and Rita Pearce was the event of the year at Upton. It was nothing more than a quiet, simple church wedding, but everything was in exquisite taste. Brides and grooms were great favorites with the community, youth, beauty and refinement combined to make the double union attractive and a glowing future was presaged for the happy group of four.

But for the insistency of Vinnie, her fiance would have urged a delay in the nuptial celebration.

"The part of wisdom with us, Vinnie," he said, "would be to wait at least two years before we marry. My father's business failure and death has left me certain serious duties and responsibilities I must sacredly carry out, and during that period I can not feel fully settled and safe as to my individual business connections."

And naturally, amid the first flush of happy love and confidence Vinnie looked upon her manly, handsome fiance as the very personification of knowledge and ability. She playfully closed her pretty pink ears as to proffered details of his business affairs. "Whatever he said or did was right," she insisted, and for several months the lovers drifted along pleasantly, Vinnie contented to repose perfect confidence in Walter, whose judgment was undeniable to her way of thinking, and he devoted strictly to the following out of plans that would eventuate through care and sacrifice and economy in placing them on a clear basis.

Walter's business called him away on the road a great deal, and he returned from a long trip to find Vinnie somehow changed. She was constantly in the company of Rita, and their chumminess had resulted in the latter gaining a great influence over her. She had inculcated Vinnie with the idea that a woman should always have her way, that Walter was too precise and careful, and it all ended in Walter finally giving way to Vinnie in the matter of anticipating their marriage by a year.

"It would be half my life's enjoyment to have a double wedding," declared Vinnie. "Remember, Walter, that Rita and I have been like sisters since we were little children, and we wish to be married at the same time.

"You shall have your wish," agreed Walter, "only it will be necessary for us to exercise great economy until all the old affairs of my father's family are settled up."

So conditions seemed fair and pleasant for the wedded couples during their honeymoon. They had found a very comfortable duplex house and it was a joy to the brides to be separated only by a party wall.

Walter noted quite a change in his wife on his return from his first business trip. She could talk of little else than the new things the Dolbys had acquired. She alluded to the liberality of Frank in a way that rather reproached Walter, and she was quite moody when they returned from spending an evening at the Dolby home.

"Just think how good Frank is to Rita," said Vinnie. "Last month he had the house all redecorated, made Rita a present of a grand victrola on her birthday, and he is talking about getting an automobile."

Hints and comparisons on the part of Vinnie grew into complaints and reproaches as time went on. The Dolbys were plunging into reckless extravagance, and it began to be so that Walter felt relieved to get away from this atmosphere of discontent on his usual trips. He had gently, but firmly told Vinnie that he had marked out a definite course and that Frank was going beyond his depth and would end up in financial difficulties

There was an expression of worry in Vinnie's face the day he returned from a month's absence, but he noted that she was more like her old loving self than usual, and she did not even allude to the Dolbys. She flushed up when Walter asked her about them.

"They are staying temporarily at Rita's mother," explained Vinnie. "Oh! Walter, they are in such deep trouble!"

"Why, what do you mean?" inquired Walter, but secretly he surmised the truth.

"They have had a dreadful time Frank, it seems bought nearly all those new things on credit. He could not meet his notes and the furniture men have foreclosed a mortgage on all they have. Oh, Walter!" and sobbing and in tears Vinnie threw herself into the arms of her husband. "I have been a wicked, covetous sinner, and I shudder when I recall how I have tried to influence you to follow in their footsteps."

"Don't reproach yourself, Vinnie," soothed Walter tenderly. "During this last trip I settled up all my father's affairs. I have not only cleared the estate of every debt, but there is left a surplus of several thousand dollars. We shall have the reward of our patience in a new and better home and I can spare enough to redeem the belongings of the Dolbys and put Frank on his feet again, hoping he has learned the lesson of keeping away from extravagance and debt."

"Oh! you wise, wise man!" whispered Vinnie brokenly, but gratefully. "And, oh, your dear, good, forgiving love!"

"Smoked Irishman."

"Shure, there's no man livin' as can mock me good County Clare brogue 'without feelin' th' weight o' me hands."

Sergeant James Xavier McGillin, United States marine corps, told this to the wide world as he stepped ashore at Charleston, S. C., recently from the transport which had carried him back from two years in the West Indies. He had a tale to tell, and this is how he told it:

"On the way up," he continued (brogue deleted for the benefit of the linotypers), "we stopped off at Nassau, in the Bahamas. I was walking along the street when up to me steps one of them natives with a face as black as me old mother's stove.

"'Shure an' 'tis a foine day fer th' Oirish,' says he to me. I makes to slough him, when another marine grabs me by the arm. He'd been there before, this other marine, and he explains it all.

"It seems that a hundred years ago —or maybe it was a thousand—the British sends one of their English regiments of Irishmen to the Bahamas, and the natives learned English from them. Ever since they've talked with a brogue."

Few Town Criers Left.

There are hardly any town criers left in England now. At Wycombe, this post, which has been held by members of one family for 80 years, lapses with the resignation of the present holder. "Oyez! oyez! oyez!" and the ringing of the bell will cease to be heard in the little old town, as it has ceased to be heard in many towns within the last ten years. In rural districts of France, by the way, public proclamations are made by the "garde champetre," a kind of keeper, or village policeman, whose office embraces various functions. Evidently in Shakespeare's day common criers had no great reputation for elocutionary skill, for Hamlet admonishes his players: "Speak the speech . . . trippingly on the tongue; but if you mouth it . . . I had as lief the town crier spoke my lines."

Large College Attendance.

There were 56,855 students enrolled in a scattering of 11 universities and colleges in the United States, taking figures of registrars for October, according to a statement issued by the Intercollegiate association. The enrollments of the colleges named, which are generally indicative of heavy collegiate attendance, are as follows: University of Michigan, 8,255; New York university, 7,614; Ohio State university, 7,244; University of Wisconsin, 7,987; University of Pennsylvania, 6,846; University of Texas, 3,679; Yale university, 3,461; University of Kansas, 3,305; Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts, 3,283; University of Missouri, 3,116; Pennsylvania State college, 3,065.

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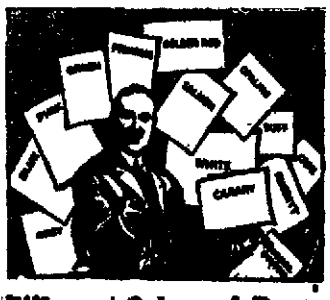

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2	12:53	12:34	1:43	1:54	2:42
3	1:47	1:25	2:24	2:33	3:19
4	2:35	2:11	3:02	3:09	3:55
5	3:19	2:54	3:39	3:40	4:31
6	4:02	3:33	4:14	4:19	5:12
7	4:43	4:11	4:50	4:57	5:59
8	5:25	4:49	5:30	5:40	6:46
9	6:08	5:28	6:18	6:33	7:36
10	6:43	6:11	7:07	7:23	8:29
11	7:36	6.54	8:03	8:17	9:24
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13	9:26	8:45	9:52	10:03	11:15
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15	11:16	10:35	11:36	11:47	1:06
16	12:08	11:28	12:24	12:40	2:02
17	12:55	12:17	1:11	1:29	2:53
18	1:38	1:02	1:57	2:20	3.44
19	2:18	1:46	2:42	3:11	4:40
20	2:57	2:27	3:28	4:01	5:36
21	3:34	3:08	4:15	4:55	6:34
22	4:12	3:49	5:08	5.54	7.04
23	4.54	4:33	6:06	6:33	7:58
24	5.41	5:23	6:51	7:23	8:51
25	6.15	6:19	7:54	8:30	9:44
26	7:16	7:05	8.55	9.25	10:33
27	8:24	8:10	9:55	10:18	11:22
28	9.32	9:12	10:49	11:08	12.09
29	10:37	10:18	11:40	11:56	12:55
30		11:16	12:29	12:42	1:38
31		12:10		1:24	

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rio Vista Hotel company will be held Monday, February 23, at 3 p. m., at the office of the State Bank of New Smyrna, for the election of officers and transaction of such other business as may come before them

JOHN T. HAMMOND, Sec

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned guardian of the estate of Dorothy Goble a minor heir of H. A. Goble will on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1920 apply to the County Judge of Volusia County, Florida for an order to sell the undivided one half interest of said minor in and to the following described real estate, to-wit

The east half of Lot Five and Lot Six of Block Two according to a subdivision of Lot Two Block One of the Walker Grant

Also Lots Nineteen, Twenty and Twenty one, according to Cooper's subdivision of Lot Three Block One of the Walker Grant

Also the east 150 feet of the west 1050 feet of Lot Four Block One of the Walker Grant.

All lying and being in the County of Volusia and State of Florida.

LELA R. GOBLE.
Guardian.

This February 13, 1920

(feb6-mch5)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that F. L. Dodge purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 334, dated the 7th day of June, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

Lots 26, 27 and 28, sub of SW¼, sec. 5, twp. 19 S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of O. L. Haygood. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1920.

(SEAL) SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County, Florida.

By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C.

(ja23-fb20)

IN CIRCUIT COURT, SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA IN CHANCERY

NOTICE

Ora P. Leonard,
Complainant,
vs.
Elenor E. Leonard,
Defendant.

To: Elenor E. Leonard:

You are hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed herein against you in the above entitled cause on or before the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

The New Smyrna News is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this order shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS My hand and seal of office at DeLand, Volusia County, Florida this 19th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk.

DAVID SHOLTZ,
Solicitor for Complainant

(SEAL) (ja23-fb13)

ANNOUNCEMENT

Sanford, Fla., Jan 1, 192..

To the Democratic Voters of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of State Attorney of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, subject to the action of the coming Democratic Primary.

Should I be favored with this nomination and subsequently appointed by the Governor, I will at all times endeavor to discharge the duties of this important office faithfully and to the best of my ability, without fear or favor to any person or persons.

GEO. A. DECOTTES.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 738, dated the 3rd day of July A. D. 1900 has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

NW¼ of S½ of Lot 4, sec. 6, twp. 18 S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of J. B. Barlow.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 312, dated the 3rd day of June A. D. 1912, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

SW¼ of N½ of Lot 3, sec. 6, twp. 18S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Caroline E. Hall.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida.

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 737, dated the 3rd day of July A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

NE¼ of S½ of Lot 4, sec. 6, twp. 18. S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of P. A. Sharpe.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida.

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1101, dated the 7th day of June A. D. 1899, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

SW¼ of S½ of Lot 4, sec. 6, twp. 18 S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of A. Baugh.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida.

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SOME FACTS AND FANCIES ABOUT THE PHILIPPINES

There Has Been Much Misrepresentation in America About People and Conditions.

By MAXIMO M. KALAW,
Secretary of the Philippine Mission.

Maximo M. Kalaw.

A certain lady at the St. Louis Exposition saw at a ballroom a brown complexioned man in faultless evening dress and accosted him with the inquiry, "I suppose you are Japanese, sir?"

The man addressed replied, "No, madam."

"Then you must be Chinese," she said.

"No, I am not. I am a Filipino," he replied.

"How's that?" asked the lady. "I thought they were all savages living in the woods."

"Well; I'll tell you how I came here," he said. "A month before I left the Philippines I was living in the woods, but the American Governor decided to catch as many wild men as possible, train them and send them over here. So here I am, just as you see." And the St. Louis lady actually believed him.

That is what you would call fancies about the Philippines. The fact is, however, that the 11,000,000 Filipinos and their ancestors have been civilized and Christians for 300 years; that the non-Christian population, according to the census of 1918, is only 500,000, and even these are not all uncivilized.

Another fancy is that not until the coming of the Americans were school buildings seen in the islands, roads built, or substantial houses erected. Do you know that for hundreds of years the Filipinos have had colleges and schools and that the University of Santo Tomas is only twenty-five years older than Harvard? That as early as 1866, out of a population of 4,000,000 people, there were 841 schools for boys and 833 for girls? That in 1892, eight years before the coming of the Americans, there were 2,137 schools?

"To grant self-government to Luzon under Aguinaldo would be like granting self-government to an Apache reservation under some local chief." Thus spoke a former President of the United States during the Filipino-American war. Exaggeration could be an excuse at a time when the dignity of the American people demanded the extinction of Filipino opposition, but do you know that the Philippine Republic, before the American occupation of the Islands, had the approval of prominent Americans who were on the spot—like John Barrett, Director of the Pan-American Union, who compared it favorably with the Japanese government? That Admiral Dewey considered the Filipinos better fitted for self-government than the Cubans? That they had drafted a constitution at Malalos which elicited the approval of distinguished Republicans like the late Senator George F. Hoar? That before the coming of the Americans they had produced national heroes like the martyred Jose Rizal, pronounced by a Republican congressman, Representative Cooper, as the noblest victim that has ever fallen into the clutches of tyranny?

And do you know that the Filipinos have not had for hundreds of years any caste system, blood distinction or royal families, and that, unlike their oriental sisters, they are the only Christian people in the orient?

People have pictured an ignorant mass of Filipinos, illiterate, poor, living a life of servitude for a few wealthy land owners and foreigners, with no houses or farms or property of their own. Do you know that 70 per cent. of the people above ten years of age can read and write and that this percentage of literacy is almost as high as some of the states of the Union? That it is higher than in any country of South America, higher than the literacy of the Spanish people, and unquestionably above that of any of the new countries recognized in Europe? Do you know that there are a million and a half farms in the Philippines and that 96 per cent. of these farms are owned by Filipinos In other words, that out of the 11,000,000 Christian Filipinos, 8,000,000 of them at least live on their own farms, with houses of their own, independent of any absentee landlord or foreign master? That 91 per cent. of the urban property consisting of houses and lands is owned by the natives of the Philippines, and only 9 per cent. is in the hands of foreigners? Yet these are facts cabled by Acting Governor Charles Emmett Yeager to the War Department from the recent census estimates

Having solemnly promised the Filipinos their independence and having gone before the world as the champion of self determination, the Filipino people cannot understand how America can consistently refuse to make good these promises.

CLIMATE OF THE PHILIPPINES

The Philippine Islands have a mildly tropical climate. The nights are cool and sunstrokes are unknown. The temperature record for the past thirty years shows an average of 80 degrees.

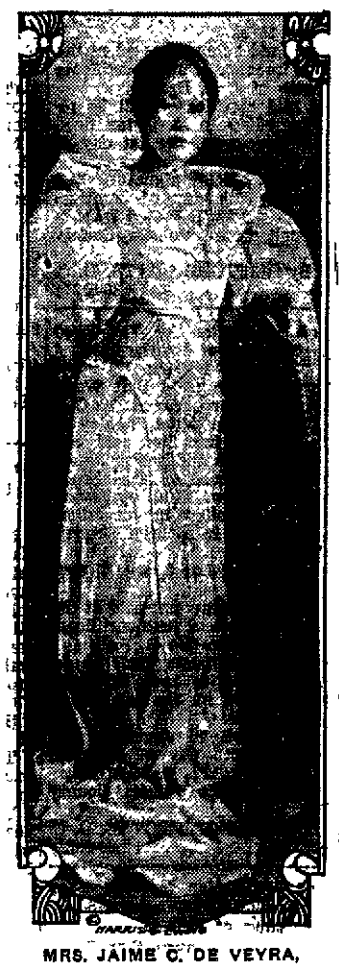
FILIPINAS GET BALLOT BEFORE AMER. SISTERS

Senora de Veyra Describes Status of Women in the Philippines.

The Filipino woman is destined to be in the world's spotlight more than ever before as a result of the news just received by cable from Manila to the effect that the Philippine senate has passed the equal suffrage bill giving women full political rights with men. This would indicate that the Filipina may beat her American sisters to the ballot box.

The Filipina has many admirers who predict she will make good if she gets the vote, just as she has made good in the very important role she has occupied in the family and business life of the Philippines ever since the introduction of Christianity in the islands three centuries ago.

"America's advent in the Philippines discovered a wonderfully interesting, responsive little being; the Filipino woman," writes one American concerning



MRS. JAIME C. DE VEYRA,
A Filipina who is doing important work for her people in the United States.

the Filipina. "Mothering the only Christian people in the far east, she holds a place of authority, love and respect in family and social life that is not accorded to women in countries neighboring the islands, or in India, China or Japan."

A Filipina who is doing an important work for her people in the United States is Mrs. Jaime C de Veyra, wife of the resident commissioner from the Philippines. Not only has she frequently addressed the wives of members of Congress in Washington as to conditions in the new Philippines, but she has visited various cities, speaking before women's clubs. The senora wears, in giving her talks, one of the beautiful gowns of her home land, a delicate pineapple fabric, hand-woven and hand-embroidered, shaped like a gauzy-winged butterfly.

"In many ways the path of the women of the Philippines is easy," says Senora de Veyra. "Laws made by her have combined the best of American and Spanish precedents, and she has come into her own with far less struggle than either her American or her Spanish sisters. Married women may hold property in severalty. They are guardians of their own children. These are vested rights and cannot be taken away from her.

"Professional opportunities are as good for women as for men in the land from which I come. The Filipina is by custom the dictator in the home. She is usually the keeper of the family treasure. Practically all of the small shops in Manila are conducted by women Women are already members of the Philippine Bar Association—a thing still impossible in Great Britain. They are also successful as physicians."

Life is really a fifty-fifty proposition for women in the Philippines, according to the senora, who has taken such a prominent part in women's work there that she has sometimes been referred to as "the little mother of them all" She was the assistant matron of the Normal Hall Dormitory for Girls when she married. She speaks English fluently and puts her little talks "over" with real tact She has four children. An evidence of her enterprise was her action last year in mastering shorthand so she might be "useful to her husband at home in the evenings in case he wishes to dictate a few letters or a speech."

BATTLED OVER PIPE ORGAN

Its Introduction Into Scottish Church, for Which James Watt Was Responsible, Made Trouble.

The current appreciations of James Watt, inventor of the steam engine, have not, so far as we have seen, called forth any protest from the Wee Frees.

Yet Watt was responsible for the first pipe organ built in Scotland, and round it raged one of the fiercest controversies in the history of the movement against instrumental music in the Scottish church.

The story of the organ itself was told fully when the instrument was given a year ago to the Glasgow corporation. It was built by Watt in his house in High street in 1762, and in 1807 found its way into St. Andrew's church, Glasgow. On hearing that the organ was to be played during divine service, the lord provost of the day wrote to Dr. Ritchie, minister of the church, and an enthusiastic fiddler, "begging to know of him if such was really the case," and adding that, if so, he would consider it his duty to enter a solemn protest against him and the congregation for all damages which might be the consequence. Dr. Ritchie was also held personally responsible for "any breach of the peace which might possibly be occasioned by the innovation he had attempted to introduce."

After being used for one Sunday, the organ was closed by command of the Presbytery; and then the floods of controversy were let loose. The "friends of music" were forcible, if not very polite, in a series of pamphlets. Both sides, of course, quoted Scripture freely; and in a Presbytery minute the writer of the pro-organ pamphlets was convicted of "culpable inaccuracy and a scandalous violation of the truth." History, so far as we know, does not record what Watt thought of it all.

The old organ is now the property of Glasgow corporation and stands in the Central hall of the Kelven-Grove galleries.

NOTICE

Patients coming to Daytona to see Dr. Meinhardi will please telephone in advance for appointment.

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The WEEK'S DOINGS

DR. B. H. C. FARR
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*Friday sale of Novelty White Voiles at 39c a yard at Elias'.

Mrs. Anna Fielder is slightly ill this week at her home on Orange street.

Mrs. R. L. Montaigne and Mrs. D. E. Settle were visitors in Daytona Tuesday.

Joe Usina went to St. Augustine yesterday to spend several days with his parents.

*The FIDELITY BANK is the only bank in New Smyrna where your deposits are INSURED.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hayes went to Jacksonville Wednesday and will be home tomorrow.

T. V. Pomar, auditor for the F. E. C. railroad, was in the city on business Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Mathews and Jeanette spent the week end in Jacksonville consulting an oculist.

The friends of Mrs. Shigley will be glad to learn she is slowly improving after a very severe illness.

**Lost, Gold bracelet on Canal st. Finder notify Mrs. Bertha Pearson, Gen. del., Tampa, for reward.

At the Grace Episcopal church next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 o'clock and holy communion at 11 a. m.

**Band dance at old Dohn hall tonight. Everybody invited. Admission 75c.

Mrs. Hawthorne came up Saturday from Hawthorne and is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Rush.

*Friday special sale at L. H. Elias' —36-in. Novelty White Voiles and Flaxons at only 39c a yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller of New York visited the latter's mother last week, leaving Sunday for Titusville.

Mrs. H. B. Robinson of Miami arrived last Thursday to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Mobley.

**Lost, Hudson seal neckpiece, stamped inside "Gamble, Cleveland, O." Return to Ocean House for reward.

Mrs. Walter Hagan returned to her home in Jacksonville Monday after a week end visit with Mrs. J. R. Mathews.

**Don't forget the dancing party at the former Dohn hall tonight. Music will be furnished by the full band.

Friends here of J. C. Lyle will be interested in the report from Daytona that he is critically ill at his home in that city.

Rev. M. H. Norton, presiding elder of this district, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church, South, Sunday morning.

*For Rent—Furnished six-room bungalow with all conveniences, central location. H. I. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mobley are entertaining Mr. Mobley's sister, Mrs. R. W. Long of Jacksonville for a visit of a few days.

*39c a yard for Flaxons and White Novelty Voiles at Elias' store today. Special prices for this special goods on this Friday only.

Miss Corinne Neal left Tuesday for Orlando to remain until Sunday with her sister, Miss Ione Neal, and incidentally take in the fair.

*Eggs for hatching, 15 for $2.00. Magnolia Poultry Yards.

Mrs. J. Rush was called to Palatka Friday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Kennerly, who is reported much improved at this time.

*Wanted, telephone poles, 25 or 30 25-ft. cypress poles with at least 4-in. heart at top. See R. Smith at telephone office, New Smyrna.

Mrs. D. C. Fairweather and daughters, Agnes and Henrietta, moved to Sanford Saturday and will make that city their home in future.

*H. I. Hamilton will secure your auto or motor boat license or make out your income tax report.

Bill Lourcey brought a very fine specimen of tortoise shell turtle up from Havana last week and it is now on exhibition in the Maley window.

*Dr. Farr, Phone 107.

The Ladies Altar society held a meeting at the rectory Tuesday afternoon, when final arrangements were made for the supper to be given next week.

*When your automobile needs repairs or overhauling, bring it to the Service Garage, Magnolia street. First class mechanics on the job.

Mrs. George B. Roberts and little son, Dick, arrived Monday from Key West for a visit at the home of Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. G. Earnhardt.

*Good mechanics, first class automobile repair work at the Service Garage, Magnolia street.

Carrol Rowe is enjoying a 15 days furlong from his service in the aviation department at Arcadia and is visiting his relatives and many friends here.

*"Daddy Long Legs," an exceptional entertainment by the Hettie Jane Dunaway company, given under the auspices of the public school at the auditorium Friday, Feb. 20.

*For Sale, my new 5-room cottage with garage at Coronado Beach. Cost of building, $1,600. Will take $1,150. Furniture reserved at this price. J. N. McGaughey, Longwood, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. House motored to Orlando to the fair Monday. The Johnstons remained for the rest of the week in the inland city.

Mrs. Charles Sams and baby, Taylor, returned Tuesday from Gainesville. Mrs. Sams has been away for three months and her friends are all glad to welcome her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Massachusetts, who have spent the last two months at the Chowning home, left Saturday for their home in the north, being called back on business.

*Mechanics that know their business at the Service Garage, Magnolia street.

Friends of Miss Eva Mae Rogero will regret to learn of her serious illness in the hospital in St. Augustine, following an operation. She is reported to be slowly improving now.

Mrs. Edward S. Earnhardt, wife of Lieut. Earnhardt of the battleship Delaware, arrived Monday for a visit at the home of Lieut. Earnhardt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. G. Earnhardt.

*The only Banks in Volusia County with INSURED DEPOSITS are the Bank of Lake Helen and the FIDELITY BANK, NEW SMYRNA.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, who are at Mrs. Chilton's, motored to Palm Beach last Saturday and returned Wednesday. They report a delightful trip.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Vondy Arnold will be interested to learn of the birth of a daughter at their home in Syracuse, N. Y., last week. Mrs. Arnold was formerly Miss Ruth Courtney.

**The Ladies Aid society of Trinity M. E. church will serve a cafeteria chicken pilau supper in the Sunday school room Thursday, Feb. 19, beginning at 5:30 p. m. Everybody must come.

C. H. Crowder, the well known shoe man of Indianapolis, arrived in New Smyrna Monday to join his sister, Miss Grace Crowder, at the Ocean House, where she has been a guest for some weeks.

*Special sale of Flaxons at Elias'.

The New Smyrna Band will give another of the series of popular dancing parties in their rehearsal hall tonight. These dances are proving very popular with the tourists and home people.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Farnell motored to Titusville Sunday and on the return trip were accompanied by Mrs. Farnell's sister, Mrs. W. Jones, and baby, who are spending some time with them.

Inez, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Leitner, has been quite ill this week, but is slowly improving now. She was in Ormond visiting her grandmother when taken sick and was brought home Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church met with Mrs. John Tanner Tuesday afternoon. The regular monthly social afternoon will be held next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. M. E. Langford.

Edwin Scalf came home the last of the week from Duluth, Minn., where he has recently been in the employ of an electric company. He has been in the north for the last two years, spending much of that time in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Osmun and Judge and Mrs. F. J. Russell motored to Orlando last week. Mr. and Mrs. Osmun returned home Friday, but Judge and Mrs. Russell remained over for this week to enjoy the fair.

The W. C. T. U. held an interesting meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. C. A. Roach. The hostess served cookies and coffee. The next meeting will be Friday, February 20 at the home of Mrs. E. L. McAuley.

Mrs. Victor Newell will leave tomorrow for Tampa to spend Gasparilla week with her mother, Mrs. Molie George Adams. Miss Corinne Neal will fill her place as teacher in the public schools next week.

*For rent, two housekeeping rooms. Apply at Palace Cafe.

Miss Whitney Hibbard left Sunday morning for Tallahassee to resume her school work at the State College for Women. On account of belated trains, due to washouts, she did not reach her destination until Monday night.

Mr. Kimball of Haverhill, Mass., who has been stopping for several weeks at the Ocean House, is a veteran walker. Every day he makes a hike of 10 to 15 miles out into the surrounding country and to nearby towns.

Miss Beryl Murray is filling the position of pianist at the Rio Vista hotel.

Rev. B. F. Green went to Grandin Saturday to attend the funeral of a friend. From there he went to Welaka, Fla.

Mr. Byrd of Rio Vista Park is having a boathouse built on the river front just opposite his home, which fronts on the Dixie highway.

Mrs. Miller, mother of E. E. Miller, arrived this week from Chicago and will remain south for the balance of the winter, spending part of the time with her son here and the other part with her daughter, Mrs. Morgan, in Titusville.

*The ladies of the Catholic church will serve a cafeteria supper next Thursday at Guild hall, beginning at 5 p. m. Menu: Chicken pilau, baked beans, macaroni, cabbage and potato salad, sliced ham and pork and hot coffee and rolls.

About 35 people from New Smyrna went up by automobile to attend the Christian Science lecture by John W. Doorly in the church in Daytona Monday night. He is a magnetic speaker and his exposition of the scriptures made a profound impression on his listeners.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Chowning, accompanied by Dr. Davis Forster, motored to Daytona Friday to attend the meeting of the Volusia County Medical society. They also took with them Mr. and Mrs. Frater of Cleveland, who are stopping with the Chownings.

Mrs. J. Tom Smith and Frances Belle returned Friday night from a week's visit in Jacksonville. Mrs. Smith's niece, Mrs. T. T. Auberry, whom she was visiting, and her little daughter, Elizabeth, came back to New Smyrna with Mrs. Smith to spend a week or two.

Mrs. H. C. Phillips went to Orlando Tuesday morning to spend a couple of days attending the fair and especially to see the exhibits of poultry and the newest methods in feeding and care. Mrs. Phillips has some Rhode Island Reds of which she is justly proud and she is interested in any new ideas as to raising fowls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Batey and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Batey and family, who have been located for some time at Cherokee Lodge, have taken apartments and have begun housekeeping, the A. S. Bateys being located in the Trinity M. E. parsonage and the J. G. Batey family at Mrs. Bell's.

Mrs. J. A. Woodward and her mother, Mrs. F. G. Hart, went to Tampa Tuesday to visit Mrs. Hart's daughter, Mrs. Freeman, who is very ill at her home in that city. Mrs. Woodward has been caring for her baby niece, Mary Sue Freeman, and as the little lady's mother had expressed a wish to see her, they took her with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Geopper, Mrs. Lycett and Mr. Van Arminge, all guests at Alba Court, drove over to the fair at Orlando. They enjoyed the trip very much and admired the Florida scenery and the beautiful city of Orlando with its lakes and handsome homes, but all united in saying it seemed good to get back to New Smyrna.

The Rev. Frederick Sexton and Miss Sexton returned Thursday to their home in Connecticut after several weeks very pleasantly spent in New Smyrna at Alba Court.

Injured in Wreck

A. B. Tanner, who was injured in the freight wreck at Elkton last Friday, experienced a broken rib and severe contusions on the head and on Monday was compelled to return to the railroad hospital in St. Augustine for further treatment.

Stars Have Social Time

At the regular meeting of the local chapter of the Eastern Star held Monday evening, one new member, Mrs. S. S. Mann, was initiated into the order, and following the initiation a social hour was enjoyed, during which refreshments of sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served. The next meeting will be held February 23 and all visiting members will be cordially welcomed.

Committees Preparing for Fair

The committees to report on the fair to be given by the Associated Charities met Wednesday afternoon at the Pitzer store, at which time it was found that generous donations had been received. All those who have not been visited and wish to donate toward this worthy cause are asked to hand donations to some of the committee. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and a more detailed report is expected, as all the city has not yet been canvassed.

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Coronado News

Quite a number of people from here attended the Orlando fair this week.

Mrs. Hoss of Jonesboro, Tenn., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Jessie K. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Olds of Ashley, Ohio, are stopping at the John Adams for some weeks.

Miss Mildred Taylor of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived Friday for a visit with her friend, Mrs. Clara Tear.

Mrs. Edith Douglass has returned from a very pleasant visit with relatives in Palm Beach and Miami.

Just two weeks till the bazaar at the clubhouse, Feb. 21st. Everybody is looking forward to the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass and little daughter of Grand Rapids, Mich., are recent arrivals at the Barber house.

Mr. and Mrs. David Studebaker and little daughter are pleasantly located for the remainder of the season in the Obenauer cottage.

The many friends of Mrs. John Silsby will be glad to know she is at home after two weeks in a Daytona hospital. She is convalescing nicely.

F. N. Holmes of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived last week for a month's stay with his wife and mother, who are spending the winter here.

The friends of Mrs. J. A. Reed will regret to learn that her mother is still critically ill in a hospital at DeLand. Mrs. Reed is at her bedside.

At the land sale in New Smyrna last week Mrs. Dewey drew one of the chests of silver that was given away and Mrs. Cole drew a set of tea spoons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankenberg, Mrs. Bertha LaBarr and Mrs. L. A. Vance of Columbus, Ohio, are recent arrivals and are stopping in the Daugherty cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Tarbell left last Friday for a motor trip to the west coast. On their return trip they will stop at Orlando and take in the fair.

There have arrived recently at the Hollywood Villa for a month's stay, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, Mr. Bell and Mrs. Jackson of Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Turney of Frankfort, Ky.

John Vrooman and Mrs. Harold Vrooman came in from their hunting camp in the woods last week. Mrs. Vrooman returned Wednesday, but Mr. Vrooman will remain at his home.

Mesdames Bess Worden and Clara Tear went to Jacksonville last week to meet Miss Taylor of Cleveland, who will visit Miss Tear during the remainder of the season.

The following persons left for Miami Monday morning on a motor trip to be gone four days: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pryor, Miss Frances Hill, Mrs. Ella Wheeler, Mrs. Marion Minor and W. L. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton returned last week from a motor trip to St. Petersburg, bringing with them Mrs. Norton's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roche, who will visit the Norton's for awhile.

SAMSULA NEWS

J. S. Shoesmith made a brief visit to friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Poythress attended church in DeLand Sunday.

Mrs. H. Hofreiter and little daughter of New Smyrna spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Poythress.

Rev. and Mrs. Milroy were pleasant visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watters Sunday. Rev. Mr. Milroy filled his appointment Sunday evening.

We understand that work is now being done on the washouts between Samsula and New Smyrna, which, on account of the heavy rains have been impassable the last week.

The school children under the supervision of Mrs. Samsula are beginning work on their spring garden. Some of these children may now be termed efficient farmers as their work well shows.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Sipes and baby, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Geiger, were visitors at the homes of Mesdames Samsula and Wildasin Sunday. Mrs. Sipes and baby will remain a few days.

The big floating dredge which has been in operation in the Lake Ashby drainage district the past two years, has completed its work here and the workmen are now preparing to take it elsewhere. The district dredge is now being set up and will soon begin work on the small ditches.

Our people are beginning to see the good effects of the drainage in this section as the growing crops were not at all injured by the recent heavy rains. When this drainage is completed the floods will no longer be feared and our farmers, who have heretofore been working, making splendid crops at times, then again to have them inundated, will bask in the sunshine of peace and plenty. We venture to say we now have some as fine crops as there are in the state.

SHILOH AND ALLENHURST

Miss Carrie Webster has returned to Coronado to be with Mrs. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kuhl and Mrs. Pattillo were visitors in Titusville Sunday.

C. P. Read and party of Daytona called on friends in Shiloh and Allenhurst Sunday.

The Rockdale Nursery company is busy shipping trees to all parts of the country, a carload going to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport and daughter Pearl have returned to their home near Rome, Ga., after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hallum.

The Child's Welfare league met Thursday at the home of Mrs. G. B. Cooper, and the annual election of officers was held at this meeting. Mrs. Kuhl was re-elected president, Mrs. Crawford Pattillo treasurer and Mrs. G. L. Comer secretary. Dr. M. Josie Rogers of Daytona gave an interesting talk and naswered many questions pertaining to welfare work. Miss Mahlon also assisted in the program. Her work is well known in this community and she is loved by everyone. Lois Taylor and Henrietta Kuhl sang a duet. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Cooper served coffee and cake.

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
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Overdrafts	22.09	Surplus and Profits	3,787.28
U. S. Bonds	7,150.00	DEPOSITS	283,394.85
Other Bonds	42,289.41		
Stocks	12,410.00		
Fixtures	5,843.99		
Real Estate	642.35		
Cash and Due from Banks	73,889.66		
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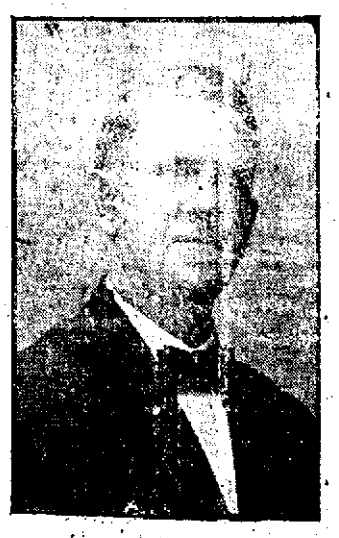

JOHN W. WATSON

MIAMI, FLORIDA

In presenting myself as a candidate for the nomination to the governorship of Florida, by the democratic voters of the State, I realize the many heavy responsibilities I will assume, if nominated and elected.

I believe that my long experience as a legislator, covering twenty-two years, has given me a thorough insight into the needs of this great state. My record in office is an open book; I have consistently stood for real progress of the state, and have been a strong supporter of the great measures which have passed the legislature in my time of service there.

I believe that there never was a time in the history of this state or of this nation that has demanded greater clearness of thought or firmness of action than the present. The seeds of Bolshevism and Anarchism have been scattered broadcast over this country, until their fruits threaten the very life of our nation and our state. These things are not American and not of America. They are foreign born and speak a language foreign to our institutions. They are not of us and must be destroyed if we are to perpetuate our liberties under our present form of government. Our only safety is in just laws vigorously and impartially administered.

If I am elected governor of the State of Florida, I pledge myself to a vigorous administration of the State's affairs and the just enforcement of all its laws.

Lower Taxes and Retrenchment Are Absolutely Necessary

State legislation revolves around the question of taxes, the great problem of civilization is to see that the burden of taxation will be equalized and not excessive upon the individual. I believe that a considerable reduction can be made in the taxation of this State: First, by the elimination of useless offices and the requirement of full service from everyone who holds a commission from the State. Second, the Budget System offers great opportunity for the elimination of State expense. If I am elected your governor I will urge upon the legislature the passage of such laws as will require a complete estimate from the heads of the State government of the requirements of each department for the succeeding two years. These reports to be submitted to the Governor who will in turn present them to the legislature so that a proper budget, NOT TO BE EXCEEDED, can be prepared by the legislative body. There will be an adoption of strict business methods and the equalization of taxes of the State. I favor the lowest possible tax rate consistent with good government, and maintaining our state institutions up to a high and humane standard.

Good Roads

I have always been an advocate of good roads. The adoption by the last legislature of a law which meets the requirements of Federal aid for State State roads has eliminated the necessity for further education of the people on the value of good roads. If elected I will use all the powers of the office to see that the funds raised for good roads are efficiently and economically administered and that each and every section of the State receives its full and fair proportion of the roads provided by that legislation.

Education

During my legislative career I have always taken a keen interest in educational matters. Florida's school system compares favorably with that of any other state in the Union. It has been my constant endeavor while connected with the public administration to advance the interest of Florida's public schools in every particular. Slowly and gradually we have built up a school system which promises complete education for every child of the state with the expense equitably distributed among all the people. I would favor the inauguration of farm schools for boys and girls. Agriculture is the basis of the prosperity of the State of Florida. The majority of the boys and girls we are now educating in our common schools will find their vocations in the farms, groves and gardens of Florida. They should be given every opportunity for early and thorough education in agriculture as a part of our public school system.

Suffrage

The time has come when the legislature of Florida should give the people of the state an opportunity to pass upon the question whether the women of the state should be admitted to suffrage. The magnificent womanhood of Florida has done its share in building up our state. During the great war, now happily ended, there was no more loyal, earnest or self-sacrificing class among all our people than our women. I am not in favor, however, of the legislature of the State of Florida ratifying the amendment to the Federal Constitution giving women the right to vote, as I believe such action is a surrender of State sovereignty to the Federal government, not contemplated by the Fathers of the Country and subserving of true democracy. I believe it to be a prerogative of the State, and the State alone should exercise it.

Great Danger

One of the great dangers that faces our Country at this time is the development of class feeling, dividing one portion of the people from another, one industry from another, constantly making far greater disorder and dissention among the people who must live at peace if they are to fulfill their manifest destinies. If elected I will endeavor to overcome this condition of affairs in this state.

The Farmer

For some reason the farm has had less consideration than have other industries, and yet the farm is the basis of all industry. The soil is the only resource of man that renews itself continually after producing value. I believe that the farmer should receive the same consideration, in legislation, as any other class of people. Our agricultural industries should be encouraged. The State should not hesitate to give every reasonable assistance in stamping out hog cholera, boll weevil, citrus canker, cattle tick and all other pests or diseases that threaten the very life of the industry.

My 22 years record in the legislature of Florida, serving one term, 1901, as Speaker, on these important matters speaks for itself.

Labor

Labor is the mainspring that moves the world. it matters not whether the man carries a hod, plows the soil, works in a store or in an office—the man worth while is the man who works. Labor and capital go hand in hand and both are essential to the development and upbuilding of the state. I believe the laborer to be worthy of his hire, and should receive a wage sufficient to properly care for his wife and children. I realize that labor has a right to organize for its own protection, but it has no right to do violence to those who are unorganized, nor to illegally destroy the property of others. If elected I will endeavor to bring about a better understanding and a more harmonious working between labor and capital. I will play no capitalist favorites for the sake of friendship and no labor favorites for the sake of votes, but a square deal to all.

Our Soldiers and Sailors

To the World's Greatest War, now ending, Florida sent more than thirty thousand of her brave boys. They represented every station in life, every religious creed, and every political faith. Many of them will never return. Some died in cantonment camps, others on foreign soil, but all made the great sacrifice to uphold Liberty and Justice. They died that we might not live in vain. Let us so live that they shall not have died in vain. "It is for the living to carry forward their purpose and make fruitful their sacrifice." I believe that this nation should hold them in affectionate remembrance and generously provide for any dependents left behind, and provide work and homes on easy payments for those returning. Our duty is to bring peace and contentment back to the world, with freedom for every man to live according to his conscience; to choose his own religion; and to have a voice in the government under which he lives. As your governor I would give my best efforts to making these established principles in this state.

The National Guard

I must earnestly endorse the reorganization of the National Guard, under the supervision of the governors of the several states. The recent race riots in Chicago, Washington, Knoxville and other sections of the country convince me that every community should have a well equipped military organization. If elected as your governor, in the absence of the National Guard, I would encourage and support a company of Home Guards in the several counties of the State.

Internal Improvements

If elected I will make every endeavor to have the United States government assist in completing the drainage of the Everglades, as they did in irrigating the arid lands in the West.

To take over and maintain ten feet of water in the East Coast Canal from Jacksonville to Key West, and to dig a ship canal across the state as indicated by our senators and representatives in congress.

The inland waterways along the northwest coast of Florida should be connected. The Stuart canal and the new Miami canal should connect in Lake Okeechobee and continue to Ft. Myers, thereby opening up a most fertile and productive section of Florida to a people who are only waiting transportation.

In Conclusion

Let me say that Florida is more prominently before the people of this nation, as a state for homeseekers, than any other state in the Union, and every legitimate inducement should be offered, not only to homeseekers but to capital seeking investment. And we should give more attention to the quality of settlers, than to the quantity and all should be one hundred per cent American. If elected I shall exercise the high functions of the office solely for the purpose of securing an honorable, economical, just, progressive and business administration.

I ask your support.

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THE BETTER WAY

By CECILLE LANGDON

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The double marriage of Walter Dorrance and Vinnie Tresham and Frank Dolby and Rita Pearce was the event of the year at Upton. It was nothing more than a quiet, simple church wedding, but everything was in exquisite taste. Brides and grooms were great favorites with the community, youth, beauty and refinement combined to make the double union attractive and a glowing future was presaged for the happy group of four.

But for the insistency of Vinnie, her fiance would have urged a delay in the nuptial celebration.

"The part of wisdom with us, Vinnie," he said, "would be to wait at least two years before we marry. My father's business failure and death has left me certain serious duties and responsibilities I must sacredly carry out, and during that period I can not feel fully settled and safe as to my individual business connections."

And naturally, amid the first flush of happy love and confidence Vinnie looked upon her manly, handsome fiance as the very personification of knowledge and ability. She playfully closed her pretty pink ears as to proffered details of his business affairs. "Whatever he said or did was right," she insisted, and for several months the lovers drifted along pleasantly, Vinnie contented to repose perfect confidence in Walter, whose judgment was undeniable to her way of thinking, and he devoted strictly to the following out of plans that would eventuate through care and sacrifice and economy in placing them on a clear basis.

Walter's business called him away on the road a great deal, and he returned from a long trip to find Vinnie somehow changed. She was constantly in the company of Rita, and their chumminess had resulted in the latter gaining a great influence over her. She had inculcated Vinnie with the idea that a woman should always have her way, that Walter was too precise and careful, and it all ended in Walter finally giving way to Vinnie in the matter of anticipating their marriage by a year.

"It would be half my life's enjoyment to have a double wedding," declared Vinnie. "Remember, Walter, that Rita and I have been like sisters since we were little children, and we wish to be married at the same time.

"You shall have your wish," agreed Walter, "only it will be necessary for us to exercise great economy until all the old affairs of my father's family are settled up."

So conditions seemed fair and pleasant for the wedded couples during their honeymoon. They had found a very comfortable duplex house and it was a joy to the brides to be separated only by a party wall.

Walter noted quite a change in his wife on his return from his first business trip. She could talk of little else than the new things the Dolbys had acquired. She alluded to the liberality of Frank in a way that rather reproached Walter, and she was quite moody when they returned from spending an evening at the Dolby home.

"Just think how good Frank is to Rita," said Vinnie. "Last month he had the house all redecorated, made Rita a present of a grand victrola on her birthday, and he is talking about getting an automobile."

Hints and comparisons on the part of Vinnie grew into complaints and reproaches as time went on. The Dolbys were plunging into reckless extravagance, and it began to be so that Walter felt relieved to get away from this atmosphere of discontent on his usual trips. He had gently, but firmly told Vinnie that he had marked out a definite course and that Frank was going beyond his depth and would end up in financial difficulties

There was an expression of worry in Vinnie's face the day he returned from a month's absence, but he noted that she was more like her old loving self than usual, and she did not even allude to the Dolbys. She flushed up when Walter asked her about them.

"They are staying temporarily at Rita's mother," explained Vinnie. "Oh! Walter, they are in such deep trouble'"

"Why, what do you mean?" inquired Walter, but secretly he surmised the truth.

"They have had a dreadful time Frank, it seems bought nearly all those new things on credit. He could not meet his notes and the furniture men have foreclosed a mortgage on all they have. Oh, Walter'" and sobbing and in tears Vinnie threw herself into the arms of her husband. "I have been a wicked, covetous sinner, and I shudder when I recall how I have tried to influence you to follow in their footsteps."

"Don't reproach yourself, Vinnie," soothed Walter tenderly. "During this last trip I settled up all my father's affairs. I have not only cleared the estate of every debt, but there is left a surplus of several thousand dollars. We shall have the reward of our patience in a new and better home and I can spare enough to redeem the belongings of the Dolbys and put Frank on his feet again, hoping he has learned the lesson of keeping away from extravagance and debt."

"Oh! you wise, wise man!" whispered Vinnie brokenly, but gratefully. "And, oh, your dear, good, forgiving love!"

"Smoked Irishman."

"Shure, there's no man livin' as can mock me good County Clare brogue 'without feelin' th' weight o' me hands."

Sergeant James Xavier McGillin, United States marine corps, told this to the wide world as he stepped ashore at Charleston, S. C., recently from the transport which had carried him back from two years in the West Indies. He had a tale to tell, and this is how he told it:

"On the way up," he continued (brogue deleted for the benefit of the linotypers), "we stopped off at Nassau, in the Bahamas. I was walking along the street when up to me steps one of them natives with a face as black as me old mother's stove.

"'Shure an' 'tis a foine day fer th' Oirish,' says he to me. I makes to slough him, when another marine grabs me by the arm. He'd been there before, this other marine, and he explains it all.

"It seems that a hundred years ago —or maybe it was a thousand—the British sends one of their English regiments of Irishmen to the Bahamas, and the natives learned English from them. Ever since they've talked with a brogue."

Few Town Criers Left.

There are hardly any town criers left in England now. At Wycombe, this post, which has been held by members of one family for 80 years, lapses with the resignation of the present holder. "Oyez! oyez! oyez!" and the ringing of the bell will cease to be heard in the little old town, as it has ceased to be heard in many towns within the last ten years. In rural districts of France, by the way, public proclamations are made by the "garde champetre," a kind of keeper, or village policeman, whose office embraces various functions. Evidently in Shakespeare's day common criers had no great reputation for elocutionary skill, for Hamlet admonishes his players: "Speak the speech . . . trippingly on the tongue; but if you mouth it . . . I had as lief the town crier spoke my lines."

Large College Attendance.

There were 56,855 students enrolled in a scattering of 11 universities and colleges in the United States, taking figures of registrars for October, according to a statement issued by the Intercollegiate association. The enrollments of the colleges named, which are generally indicative of heavy collegiate attendance, are as follows: University of Michigan, 8,255; New York university, 7,614; Ohio State university, 7,244; University of Wisconsin, 7,987; University of Pennsylvania, 6,846; University of Texas, 3,679; Yale university, 3,461; University of Kansas, 3,305; Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts, 3,283; University of Missouri, 3,116; Pennsylvania State college, 3,065.

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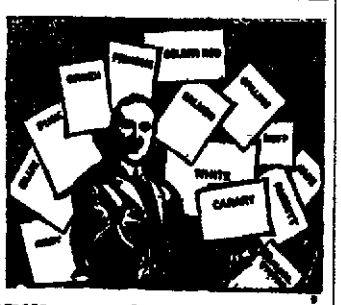

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4	2:35	2:11	3:02	3:09	3:55
5	3:19	2:54	3:39	3:40	4:31
6	4:02	3:33	4:14	4:19	5:12
7	4:43	4:11	4:50	4:57	5:59
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9	6:08	5:28	6:18	6:33	7:36
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11	7:36	6.54	8:03	8:17	9:24
12	8:31	7:48	8:58	9:11	10:18
13	9:26	8:45	9:52	10:03	11:15
14	10:22	9:41	10:45	10:55	12:11
15	11:16	10:35	11:36	11:47	1:06
16	12:08	11:28	12:24	12:40	2:02
17	12:55	12:17	1:11	1:29	2:53
18	1:38	1:02	1:57	2:20	3.44
19	2:18	1:46	2:42	3:11	4:40
20	2:57	2:27	3:28	4:01	5:36
21	3:34	3:08	4:15	4:55	6:34
22	4:12	3:49	5:08	5.54	7.04
23	4.54	4:33	6:06	6:33	7:58
24	5.41	5:23	6:51	7:23	8:51
25	6.15	6:19	7:54	8:30	9:44
26	7:16	7:05	8.55	9.25	10:33
27	8:24	8:10	9:55	10:18	11:22
28	9.33	9:12	10:49	11:08	12.09
29	10:37	10:18	11:40	11:56	12:55
30		11:16	12:29	12:42	1:38
31		12:10		1:24	

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rio Vista Hotel company will be held Monday, February 23, at 3 p. m., at the office of the State Bank of New Smyrna, for the election of officers and transaction of such other business as may come before them

JOHN T HAMMOND, Sec

(Ja16 fb13)

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned guardian of the estate of Dorothy Goble a minor heir of H A Goble will on the 10th day of March, A D 1920 apply to the County Judge of Volusia County, Florida for an order to sell the undivided one half interest of said minor in and to the following described real estate, to-wit

The east half of Lot Five and Lot Six of Block Two according to a subdivision of Lot Two Block One of the Walker Grant

Also Lots Nineteen, Twenty and Twenty one, according to Cooper's subdivision of Lot Three Block One of the Walker Grant

Also the east 150 feet of the west 1050 feet of Lot Four Block One of the Walker Grant.

All lying and being in the County of Volusia and State of Florida.

LELA R. GOBLE,
Guardian.

This February 15, 1920

(feb6-mch5)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that F. L. Dodge purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 334, dated the 7th day of June, A. D. 1915, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

Lots 26, 27 and 28, sub of SW¼, sec. 5, twp. 19 S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of O. L. Haygood. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1920.

(SEAL) SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County, Florida.

By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C.

(ja23-fb20)

IN CIRCUIT COURT, SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA IN CHANCERY

NOTICE

Ora P. Leonard,
Complainant,
vs.
Elenor E. Leonard,
Defendant.

To: Elenor E. Leonard:

You are hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed herein against you in the above entitled cause on or before the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

The New Smyrna News is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this order shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS My hand and seal of office at DeLand, Volusia County, Florida this 19th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk.

DAVID SHOLTZ,
Solicitor for Complainant

(SEAL) (ja23-fb13)

ANNOUNCEMENT

Sanford, Fla., Jan 1, 192..

To the Democratic Voters of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of State Attorney of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, subject to the action of the coming Democratic Primary.

Should I be favored with this nomination and subsequently appointed by the Governor, I will at all times endeavor to discharge the duties of this important office faithfully and to the best of my ability, without fear or favor to any person or persons.

GEO. A. DECOTTES.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 738, dated the 3rd day of July A. D. 1900 has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

NW¼ of S½ of Lot 4, sec. 6, twp. 18 S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of J. B. Barlow.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 312, dated the 3rd day of June A D. 1912, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

SW¼ of N½ of Lot 3, sec. 6, twp. 18S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Caroline E. Hall.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida.

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 737, dated the 3rd day of July A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

NE¼ of S½ of Lot 4, sec. 6, twp. 18. S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of P. A. Sharpe.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida.

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida

Notice is hereby given that W. Z. Haymans & Co., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1101, dated the 7th day of June A. D. 1899, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit:

SW¼ of S½ of Lot 4, sec. 6, twp. 18 S, range 31 E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of A. Baugh.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920. SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County Florida.

(Seal) By CLIFFORD BOTTS, D. C. (ja30-fb27)

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